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## BIG LABOR CONFLICT

### Acute Situation Arises From Strike of 45,000 Men in Sweden.

### SERIOUS TROUBLE FEARED

Threatening Situation Causes Citizens to Arm Themselves for Protection—Streets Are Filled With Idlers.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Stockholm, Aug. 24.—For the purpose of maintaining order in the labor conflict in Sweden which threatens to become more acute, a corps of workmen, some thousand strong, is being organized, and the people generally, bankers, merchants, etc., are arming themselves for self protection. The gun shops of the city are practically denuded of revolvers and small arms.

All tourists have left Stockholm, and the number of visitors now in the city is smaller than at this season for many years past.

The railroad men have decided not to strike, but the government is taking the precaution to guard the tracks with troops, fearing attempts to blow up bridges or injure the permanent way. Quantities of dynamite are reported to have mysteriously disappeared from the government stores. Although the ranks of the strikers are considerably swelled, the general strike called for today has not yet become entirely effective. Many organizations, although sympathizing with the strikers, hesitate to join them actively. Street car employes and cab drivers stopped work today.

Strike leaders claim that the end of the week will see a notable spread of the movement; that the railroad, postal, telegraph and telephone employes and the printers will by that time have joined in the strike.

The streets are filled with idlers who promenade back and forth chaffing the volunteer street cleaners, many of whom belong to the better classes.

The strike is by no means general in the provincial towns and industrial centres of Sweden. In most places the street cars are running and the city employes are at work as usual.

No disturbances have been reported. The strikers total about 45,000 men, of whom 8,000 are at Malmo. The loading of shops at Gothenburg where 10,000 men are on strike is being done by the troops.

The grave diggers employed by the Northern Cemetery struck today. Those in the Southern Cemetery are still working but are expected to join the strike movement later.

### SEABOARD STOCKHOLDERS

Approve Reorganization Plan—Authorized Refunding Mortgage.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Petersburg, Va., Aug. 4.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line Railway was held here today, presided over by Judge Leigh R. Watts, of Portsmouth, Va. The adjustment plan incident to the company's reorganization was approved, as were the authorizing of the new refunding mortgage to secure an issue, not to exceed $125,000,000, of funding bonds and of the new mortage securing an issue, not to exceed $25,000,000 of adjustment bonds.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 4.—The stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line met here tonight, Judge Leigh R. Watts, of Portsmouth, general counsel of the road, presiding. F. H. Stinchfield and J. E. Brady, of New York, representing big blocks of stock were present and the re-organization plan recommended by the reorganization committee and approved by the directors was adopted.

### OUTLINES.

In the hearing as to Harry K. Thaw's insanity, at White Plains, New York, yesterday, the State rested its testimony and it is now up to Thaw's counsel to upset the testimony of the alienists, who declare that he is still insane and should not be discharged from the asylum——In spite of strong opposition, the urgent deficiency bill passed by the Senate at Washington yesterday, includes appropriations to purchase automobiles for the Vice President and Speaker of the House ——Last night marked the end of one of the bitterest political campaigns in the history of Virginia. Harry St. George Tucker and Judge William Hodges Mann are Democratic candidates for Governor and the primary will be held today——The inquiry into the death of Lieutenant Sutton, which abruptly adjourned last week will be resumed today at Annapolis, Md.—— At a meeting of the stockholders of the Seaboard Air Line in Petersburg, Va., yesterday the re-organization plan of the road was approved——New York markets: Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid and offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton 25 points lower, closing quiet at 12.60; flour dull and weak; wheat easy, No. 2 red new 1.14 1-2 elevator, No. 2 red old 1.14 7-8 f. o. b. afloat; corn easy, No. 2 old 80 nominal in elevator, No. 2 new 60 1-8; oats easy, mixed 52 1-2 nominal; turpentine firm at 53; rosin quiet.

## PLEADED WITH MAN SHE SHOT

New York Lawyer Unrelenting Toward California Woman Who Says He Threw Her Down. Attempted Suicide.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—Mrs. Neville Castle, the woman from California, who has a difference of opinion with Mrs. William D. Craig as to wether Mr. Craig whom she shot but did not seriously injure last night at the Waldorf Astoria, has pursued her or she him, found no mercy today in the man she says loves her. Nor had anyone gone on her bail tonight.

Craig refused to dismiss his complaint against her and when she laid her hand on his shoulder in court and pleaded gently, "Will, please drop it. Won't you?" he turned brusquely and left the room. She was held in $3,000 bail for further examination.

In the matron's room of the Jefferson Market prison today Mrs. Castle gave out a statement, interrupted by bursts of weeping, in which she intimated that her negro servant could give testimony in her support.

"The night before last," she said, "Will, Mr. Craig, called at my house about 7 o'clock. Something occurred that I swore I would punish him for. I had my servant put him out. He said things which he said he should tell somebody. I said he shouldn't.

"If you had sisters you would have told them to act just as I have acted. Last night I went to the Waldorf to make him retract. I told him it would have to be in the presence of the negro because he had been in the room and had heard. When I met Will he said: 'I wish I was dead, that Kate was dead, that you were dead.' Kate, you know, is his wife. Then I drew this crazy little affair"—the pistol she carried in her hand bag. "He grabbed it and it went off."

Mrs. Castle has been highly excited ever since her arrest but up to the time of her statement tonight she denied any attempt to "punish" anyone. She drew her pistol, she has said hitherto, with intent to commit suicide.

## BASE BALL

**National League.**
At Pittsburg 0; Brooklyn 1.
At Chicago 8; Boston 3.
At St. Louis 1; Philadelphia 4.
At Cincinnati-New York, rain.

**American League.**
At Boston 3; Detroit 10.
Second: Detroit 1; Boston 2.
At Washington 1; Cleveland 0.
Second: Washington 6; Cleveland 2.
Other games, rain.

**Southern League.**
At Mobile 4; Memphis 1.
At Nashville 10; Atlanta 3.
At New Orleans 6; Little Rock 0.
At Montgomery 2; Birmingham 6.

**South Atlantic League.**
At Knoxville 2; Augusta 2. (7 innings to catch train.)
At Chattanooga 2; Columbus 7.
Second: Chattanooga 2; Columbus 0
At Macon 1; Jacksonville 2.
At Savannah 1; Columbia 0.
Second: Savannah 2; Columbia 0. (7 innings agreement.)

**Virginia League.**
At Lynchburg 3; Danville 2.
At Roanoke 0; Norfolk 1.
At Portsmouth 1; Richmond 5.
Second: Portsmouth 1; Richmond 2.

**Carolina League.**
At Charlotte 1; Spartanburg 7.
At Anderson 0; Winston 2.
At Greenville 1; Greensboro 0. (16 innings.)

**Wadesboro Wins Two Games.**

Wadesboro, N. C., Aug. 4.—Wadesboro defeated Union, S. C., here yesterday in two games. In the first the pitching of Hearne, for Wadesboro, was easily the feature, while in the second, Wysong, also Wadesboro's pitcher, starred. These two pitchers are exceptionally good. The fielding of Matthews and Duncan; the catching of Moore and Gaines, for Wadesboro, and the work of Justice for Union, were easily the features.

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| Wadesboro ..... | 002 | 100 | 00x—3 | 12 1 |

Evans and Swink; Hearne and Moore; umpire, Dunlap; time 1:30.

Second game:

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| Union ..... | 000 | 000 | 000—0 | 5 4 |
| Wadesboro ..... | 301 | 000 | 00x—4 | 7 5 |

High, Allen and Swink; Wysong and Gaines; time 1:35.

### WARM WIRELETS.

The torpedo destroyer Paul Jones, which left Seattle, Wash., July 26th for a cruise in Alaskan waters, was said last night to have struck a reef several miles from Skagway, Alaska, and made port in a sinking condition. The extent of the damage is not known.

Representative Bartlett, of Georgia, yesterday introduced a bill amending the inter-State commerce law so as to make it possible for railroad companies to grant free or reduced transportation to bona fide members of United Confederate Veterans Associations.

Announcement was made yesterday in Chicago at the conclusion of a meeting of wholesale vehicle manufacturers that prices would be advanced 10 per cent. The cost of materials and labor is given as the cause. Locomobile manufacturers, it is said, have attracted the workmen by higher wages.

## NOW UP TO THAW

### State Rests Case to Hold Him in Asylum.

### ALIENISTS MUST BE UPSET

Thaw's Former Attorney Takes Blame For Making Him Interfere With His Counsel—Must Disprove Charge of Delusions.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

White Plains, N. Y., August 4.—The State rested in the Thaw case today and from now on it devolves upon Harry K. Thaw and his attorney, Charles Morschauser, to offset the testimony of the State's alienists who have sworn without exception under cross examination of District Attorney Jerome that Thaw is still insane and would be a menace to the community if released from the asylum at Mattewan.

Dr. McDonald, the last of the alienists called, was followed by John B. Gleason, Thaw's original legal adviser.

His most advantageous statement, from the prisoner's standpoint, concerned the dropping of the law firm of Black, Gruber, Olcott and Bonynge, and of L. I. Delafield, and the engagement of Delphin M. Delmas as chief counsel for Thaw. This had been done at his (Gleason's) orders, he said, and was not due to a whim of Thaw's.

Through Mr. Gleason, Thaw's lawyer hopes to show that Thaw's attitude toward Stanford White was not due to delusions, as the State contends, but was promoted by what Thaw knew of White's practices. Mr. Morschauser tried to prove the charges against White today by reading parts of Evelyn Thaw's testimony at the trials.

Trying to clear Thaw of another "delusion," Mr. Gleason presented a report of detectives regarding an alleged attempt on Thaw's life on the night of December 24, 1903. The wording of this document was not made public but it was introduced to counteract the State's contentions that Thaw had delusions concerning the "Monk" Eastman gang which he believed had been engaged by his enemies to beat and perhaps kill him and that after White's death the architect's friends entered into a conspiracy to "railroad his slayer to Mattewan."

If he can show that Stanford White and a number of wealthy friends did maintain several establishments where young girls were ruined and that an attempt really was made on his client's life, Mr. Morschauser will be able to dissipate some of the "delusion" evidence of the State.

The present plan is to have the attorneys sum up on Saturday and if possible, finish the case this week.

The dull routine of expert testimony was jarred this afternoon by an interruption from Pietro Caporale, a wild looking Italian who had been hanging about the place for several hours and who tried to force his way into the room. When the attendants refused him admission he waved a letter and demanded to see District Attorney Jerome.

"Tell Thaw they will rob him as they robbed me of my children" he yelled repeatedly.

It developed that he wanted Mr. Jerome to help him obtain the release of his little girls from the juvenile asylum in New York. He was thought to be a harmless lunatic.

—Wadesboro, N. C., Aug. 3.—High water in the Pee Dee river caused a sad accident this afternoon at Andrews' Ferry, northeast of Wadesboro. Three men lost their lives and several others had narrow escapes. H. A. Little, of Rockingham, formerly representative from Richmond county, and his uncle, S. P. Myers, of Memphis, Tenn., were en route home from Norwood, and attempted to cross the river at the ferry. The boat was in charge of Jule Snuggs, ferryman, and Oscar Coalson. While in mid-stream one of the chains attached to the cable slipped and the boat was capsized and immediately sank. Little and Myers were in a buggy drawn by two horses. Snuggs, the ferryman, was drowned and Coalson caught a snag, keeping his head above the water. Harley Tomlinson and Frank Foust were on the river bank and immediately went to the rescue of Coalson in a row boat. This boat was also capsized and Oscar Coalson and Harley Tomlinson were drowned. Mr. Little was swept down the river for almost a mile, and finally swam to the shore. Mr. Myers landed on an island a mile down the river, where he was found two hours later by a rescuing party. Both horses were drowned and the buggy was swept away. Mr. Little lost a grip containing valuable papers.

A lot of boys' knee pants in bloomers and straight, the kind for school. J. M. Solky & Co. **

To buy advertised things is coming to be a fixed habit of the people—and it's a profitable habit, too.

## TARIFF VOTE TODAY

### Senate Will Pass on Conference Report This Afternoon.

### SMALL INTEREST IN DEBATE

Maximum and Minimum Provision of Measure Discussed—Difficult to Obtain Quorum at Night Session—Simmons.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, Aug. 4.—Small interest was shown in the tariff debate in the Senate today but a night session was necessary to allow "progressive" Senators an opportunity to express their views on the tariff bill.

Most of the speeches during the day were heard by only a handful of Senators, while the galleries had but a sprinkling of visitors.

Interest now seems to center on the vote on the conference report, which will be taken at 2 P. M., tomorrow.

Conferences among Senators were numerous. Several times Vice President Sherman found it necessary to call the body to order and to insist that conversation be discontinued.

The effect of the maximum and minimum provision of the measure, as agreed upon by the conferees, was the chief subject of discussion during the afternoon.

It looked as if the Senate had gone on a "strike" when the hour to reassemble arrived tonight. Senator Smoot at once called for a quorum. It was the first time during the long tariff debate that difficulty was experienced in the Senate in obtaining a quorum. Senator Aldrich was among the absent.

After nearly half an hour had passed, with a quorum still lacking, Senator Nelson moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms be instructed to send for absentees.

Senator Lodge finally entered the chamber, making a quorum, and the order to bring in the absentees was abrogated.

Calling attention today to the necessity for accurate information concerning labor conditions in this country and abroad in the framing of a tariff bill, Mr. Simmons declared that the schedules had been fixed without any investigation of the cost of production abroad worthy of the name.

The North Carolina Senator declared that the "so-called revision of the tariff" would not in any sense satisfy even Republicans and would not meet the wishes of the country at all.

Citing numerous instances of duties on the necessities of life, Mr. Simmons declared that the rates were higher on the grades of goods used by the common people than on those used by the rich.

At 11:42 P. M. the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

**In the House.**

Carrying an aggregate appropriation of $1,100,000, or $666,000 more than was originally reported, the conference report on the urgent deficiency appropriation bill was adopted by the House today. Bitter opposition was directed against the provisions of the bill respecting the establishment of a Customs Court and providing for the purchase of automobiles for the Vice President and the Speaker, but all attempts to send the report back to the conference for amendment were defeated. The bill as passed made no provision for the payment of salaries of judges and officers of the court.

The report appropriates $25,000 to pay expenses of the proposed Customs Court, but does not provide for the organization of the court. It also makes the following appropriations among others:

$100,000 to the Department of State for foreign trade and treaty relations; $100,000 for collecting the corporation tax and $12,000 for automobiles for the Vice President and Speaker.

The report also authorizes contracts for the construction of the Isthmian Canal to the extent of the total amount of bonds authorized, and fixes a rate not to exceed 35 per cent. over those of 1908.

The report was not adopted until Mr. Clark, of Missouri, had forced two roll calls.

### TELLER IDENTIFIED NOTES

Government Introduced Material Witness in Breese Trial.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 4.—The effort of the government to connect Messrs Breese, Dickerson and Penland, former officials of the First National Bank, of this city, with participation in securing and placing in the bank the blank notes signed by insolvent persons, was apparent today in the action of District Attorney Holton, who placed S. T. Dorsett on the stand to identify the hand writing of the officials named on the notes in evidence.

Mr. Dorsett was teller of the bank when it failed. He was on the stand all day. He identified many notes as bearing the hand writing of Breese, Dickerson and Penland respectively.

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The cost of getting a new boarder is not often greater than the cost of one insertion of a Business Local. Sometimes two or three insertions are needed.

## KITCHIN ON "TRUST BUSTING"

Many Believe Speech Yesterday Means He Will Oppose Simmons. The Encampments—Rainfall—Other Notes.

(Special Sta Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 4.—In what many take to be a pronouncement leading to his active candidacy for the seat of Hon. F. M. Simmons in the United States Senate, Governor W. W. Kitchin today addressed the Wake County Farmers' Union on "Trust busting," taking the ground that State legislation can accomplish but little and that the real fight must be through National legislation.

He defended his own and the North Carolina Legislature's record in anti-trust effort, insisting that it is in the halls of Congress that the people must have their anti-trust law makers. He regretted adverse criticism of the last Legislature and of the executive for not raising a row with the legislators for not doing more and argued that Sub-section "F" adopted by the last assembly is no "pink tea" concoction as compared with the defeated Sub-section "A" or the Texas anti-trust act either.

State Bank Examiner J. K. Doughton reports to the Corporation Commission that he does not think it will be necessary for the commission to apply to the courts for a receiver for the Citizens' Bank and Trust Co., Southern Pines, of which he is now in official charge pending the adjustment of $16,000 shortage caused by confessed defalcations by Cashier Geo. A. Kimball, who has been arrested and released on $3,000 bond. Mr. Doughton's report to the commission, received this morning, sets out that the directors are taking steps to make good the shortage and reopen the bank without any loss or further disturbance so far as the depositors are concerned.

Adjutant General J. F. Armfield, of the North Carolina National Guard, just back from the First Regiment encampment at Morehead, says all three of the regimental encampments have proved profitable to a very gratifying degree. The officers and men have taken greater interest and as a result the official records of the standing attained by individuals and companies are decidedly higher than heretofore. The First Regiment at this encampment qualified 55 marksmen and one sharpshooter as compared with 15 marksmen, only, last year; the Second regiment qualified 48 marksmen as compared with none last year, and the Third 53 marksmen this year as against three last year. Gen. Armfield says the indications are that the inspections by Capt. Rowell, detailed from the War Department to inspect the companies as to efficiency, will be a very favorable one for the North Carolina Guard and that the conference held last week by the officers of the Guard with Capt. Kerth, of the United States department of the militia, was very profitable and indicated a hearty co-operation and sympathy between the Guard officials and the authorities of the War Department at Washington.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner is insisting that every county superintendent of public schools in the State shall attend the annual session of the Association of County Superintendents this year at Hendersonville August 31st to September 3rd. He writes them that a public officer must attend to his public duties in the department of education. In North Carolina or retire from the service and that there is no excuse for failure to attend this meeting, since the expenses of the superintendents are paid. Only serious sickness will be considered as an excuse. He promises a programme of unusual interest and importance.

Raleigh has had three inches of rain in the past 36 hours and the forecast is still for more rain.

The Raleigh Academy of Music is being greatly improved, including the extending of the galleries on three sides instead of in the end only as heretofore. S. A. Schloss, of Wilmington, is the proprietor.

### SOUTHERN PINES BANK.

Still Interest in Case—Wilmington Banker May Reorganize.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southern Pines, N. C., Aug. 4.—All interest is still centred here in the case of Cashier Kimball, who has been arrested upon his surrender and released on $3,000 bond until the 16th. He and his wife have transferred all their property, worth about $5,000, to the bank to cover a part of the shortage. It is stated that Kimball's downfall began two years ago when he allowed friends to "kite" checks, from which he sustained loss. This he tried to cover by speculation in wheat and corn. He made a full and complete confession, admitting $16,000 shortage. The bank will probably be reorganized. Mr. M. J. Heyer, president of the Southern National, of Wilmington, is here and is giving parties interested his advice towards straightening out affairs.

Children
as well as grown folks enjoy the trip to the pier. Boat leaves at 5:15 P. M. jul 1 tf

A chance to buy your boy a school suit during this great sale. J. M. Solky & Co. **

## BOTH TO RALEIGH

### Sailors, Short of Crew, Dropped Two to Red Birds Yesterday.

### OTHER DOUBLEHEADERS SPLIT

Magnificent Games Lost by Sheer Luck Send Wilmington to Third Place in League—Fayetteville Here Today.

**Results Yesterday.**
Wilmington 0, Raleigh 1.
2nd: Wilmington 0, Raleigh 3.
Wilson 2, Goldsboro 0.
2nd: Goldsboro 5, Wilson 4.
Fayetteville 6, Rocky Mount 3.
Fayetteville 1, Rocky Mount 3.

**Where They Play Today.**
Goldsboro at Rocky Mount.
Raleigh at Wilson.
Fayetteville at Wilmington.

**Standing of the Clubs.**

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Raleigh | 36 | 30 | .545 |
| Wilson | 34 | 29 | .540 |
| Wilmington | 36 | 31 | .537 |
| Goldsboro | 33 | 30 | .524 |
| Fayetteville | 27 | 36 | .429 |
| Rocky Mount | 27 | 37 | .422 |

The Red Birds' time did come at last;
They pecked us 'till we're sore;
And chalked full many a total up,
While we—we failed to score!
—Sailors' Chanty.

In two magnificently played games, Raleigh won both ends of the doubleheader from Wilmington yesterday, the first by a score of one to nothing and the second by the score of three to nothing.

Fulenwider and Howard were the opposing pitchers in the first game, each yielding only four hits, while Ashton and Brandon were the riflemen in the second, the former yielding but four safeties and the latter only three. Each team contributed an error to the column in the second while Raleigh was credited with three and Wilmington only one in the first. Howard really deserved much better luck than the sigle run scored against him. This came in the seventh when Hoffman led off with a single, was sacrificed by C. Hoover and after Hart had fanned, scored on Nichols' wild throw of Wright's hit to second. Then Rowe retired the side by a fly to Brodie, who made a beautiful running, one-hand catch. In Wilmington's half of the same inning, after Sharp was out second to first, Jayes pealed the hide off the sphere for two bases to left, but Fulenweider settled down and fanned Kite and Ashton in quick succession. Levy started the 2nd with a single and Sexton ran for him, but was caught napping at first. With the exception of these, it was practically one, two, three for both teams during the entire nine innings of the first game.

**Tabulated Score.**

| Wilmington. | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nichols, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Guerrant, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Brodies, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Levy, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Sharpe, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Jayes, lf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Kite, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 |
| Ashton, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Howard, p | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 29 | 0 | 5 | 24 | 7 | 1 |

| Raleigh. | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crozier, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Haas, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Hoover, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoffman, lf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| C. Hoover, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Hart, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Wright, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Rowe, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| Fullenwider, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 1 | 4 | 27 | 9 | 3 |

**Score by Innings.**

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| Wilmington | 000 | 000 | 000—0 | 5 1 |
| Raleigh | 000 | 000 | 10x—1 | 4 3 |

Summary: First base on errors, Raleigh 1, Wilmington 2; sacrifice hits, Kite and C. Hoover; left on bases, Raleigh 4, Wilmington 4; stolen bases, Nichols and Brodie; double plays, Fullenwider to Haas; first base on balls, off Howard O, off Fullenwider 1; struck out, by Howard 5, by Fullenwider 6; time 1:45; pmpire Barre, attendance 500.

The second game was none the less close except in fatal innings, the first of which came with the fourth when Haas was safe on error of Guerrant and was sacrificed by F. Hoover; Hoffman then hit to Sharp at short, who threw wild and Irwin running for Haas scored; C. Hoover was out third to first and Brumfeld on fly to left. Ashton started the fifth by smashing out a two-base hit to left but Nichols fouled out to catcher, Guerrant to centre while Ashton was out trying third with Brodie at the bat. Raleigh added two more in the sixth when, after Croozier flew to centre, Haas piloted a single to left and F. Hoover, next up, clouted one to centre for three bases, scoring him; then Hoffman flew out to left and Hoover scored, C. Hoover retiring the side by flying to right. In the seventh there was a rather unusual proceeding when two strikes were called on Kite before he

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## WILMINGTON'S THIRTY FOOT CHANNEL.

The Star has all along been confident that every North Carolina Congressman would heartily co-operate with our immediate representative, the Hon. H. L. Godwin, in the effort to provide for the port of Wilmington a 30-foot channel from the harbor to the sea. It is gratifying, however, to have the personal assurances of our distinguished representatives at Washington, and to those which we have already had, we take pleasure in adding the hearty endorsement of Representative John H. Small, of the First Congressional District. Mr. Small writes the Star as follows:

"I have had the pleasure of reading the editorial entitled 'Southern Seaports' in the Morning Star of the 14th of July, and was impressed by your statement that it was the duty of all the North Carolina Congressmen to actively co-operate with Representative Godwin in securing the necessary legislation for deepening the Cape Fear to thirty feet from Wilmington to the sea. As one of these Representatives, I shall most cheerfully and actively render such aid to Mr. Godwin as opportunity shall permit, and I have no doubt that each of my colleagues in the House, as well as our two Senators, will do likewise.

"If the War Department, through the District Engineer, Capt. Earl I. Brown, should recommend the improvement of the Cape Fear to a depth of thirty feet under the authorization for a preliminary examination and survey, as contained in the River and Harbor Act of March 3rd, 1909, then there would at least be an opportunity of obtaining Congressional recognition for this project, and a partial appropriation therefor. It is true that past experience in obtaining appropriations for the improvement of rivers to such an extent where the ports are some distance from the sea, demonstrated the difficulty which may be experienced, yet such obstacles need not deter the friends of the project, because the commercial importance of Wilmington amply justifies this improvement.

"That the improvement of the Cape Fear and the placing of Wilmington upon a parity with other ports, is not a local project, but one which concerns the entire State, as well as a portion of South Carolina, cannot be too strongly emphasized. Local jealousies and prejudices have been in the past a most fateful obstacle to the adoption of a comprehensive scheme of improvement of our rivers and harbors. Happily this condition is gradually passing, and surely there shall be no division in North Carolina in the movement for the upbuilding of our chief seaport, because thereby the whole State will be benefitted."

Congressman Small's co-operation is all the more valuable because he is one of the foremost members of Congress in promoting development of waterways and navigation projects. He has made a study of the question and in him North Craolina has a most earnest advocate and strong man in the House of Representatives, along with the able delegation which represents the State at the National capital.

It is in the development of the harbors especially that the Government must hope for the enlargement of the Nation's commerce—the real object of the Government's aid to navigation projects. With insufficient ports to do the business which inland navigation and railways would deliver for export, the requirements of commerce could not be met. There will be little use for the creation of a merchant marine without ports to provide the business for the ships, and, therefore, it is of prime importance in the upbuilding of the Nation's merchant marine to first provide good ports wherever they are most needed. That the port of Wilmington is one which has special claims upon the attention of Congress, is signally emphasized by the Government's own commercial statistics, showing that since 1898, our exports increased more than 300 per cent. and imports made a gain of over 700 per cent. That claim is cinched by the further showing that Wilmington is America's Fourth Cotton Exporting Port.

## REVENUE COLLECTIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The result of prohibition in North Carolina has greatly cut down the revenue of the United States Government in one particular while the loss is almost if not fully made up in another. For instance, while the Government has lost thousands of dollars on the license tax for whiskey distilleries and the retailing of spirituous liquors, it has gained about as much revenue on tobacco as it lost on the whiskey revenue.

The State-wide prohibition act went into effect on the 1st of January this year, so that 1908 was the last year in which the liquor traffic was a legalized business in North Carolina. For forty years the United States revenue act has been in force in North Carolina, and it is interesting to note the results of prohibition as shown by the reports of the revenue officials.

On August 2nd, at Statesville, the headquarters of the Internal Revenue Collector for the Western District, the report of Collector George H. Brown was made up for the month of July, and it makes some interesting revelations. The report as made up by Cashier R. B. Roberts, of the Collectors office, shows that the Government's collections for July amount to $245.421.35, of which the insignificant sum of only $169.73 was on account of the whiskey tax.

The small amount collected on spirits will cause the prohibitionists to rejoice, although it is admitted that there has been an increase of illicit distilling, from which, of course, the Government gets no revenue. When compared with the revenue collections for July, 1908, the collections for July of this year make a showing that is interesting in several ways. For instance, the collections on spirits in July, 1908, were $27,968.63, whereas the collections on spirits in the July just ended were only $169.73, the smallest whiskey tax ever collected in the revenue district since the United States revenue laws went into force more than 40 years ago. The decrease in the whiskey tax for the one month amounted to $27,797.88 as compared with the collections in July 1908.

However, Collector Brown's report shows that while the collections on spirits show a decrease of $27,797.88, compared with July last year, the increase on tobacco in July just ended amounted to $55,161.78 and the total collection for last month show a gain of $27,080.87 over July, 1908. It is stated that collections on tobacco are showing such a great increase each month that it is believed that the total revenue collections for the year 1909 will equal those for 1908, despite the great loss sustained in the collections on spirits because of the State prohibition laws.

While the report will be gratifying to the prohibitionists, it will be generally pleasing in that it demonstrates a large increase in the production and manufacture of tobacco, which is bringing millions of dollars into North Carolina.

The evidence is plain that the tobacco industry in North Carolina is growing. It might also be considered as evidence of returning prosperity that the last July collections as a whole—on tobacco alone, with the exception of that $169.73 on spirits—exceeds by $27,080.87 the entire amount collected on both tobacco and spirits in July 1908.

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Says the Raleigh News and Observer: "The sea serpent seen off Hatteras by a Norwegian captain indicates that the foreign captain carries a supply of the stuff that both cheers and inebriates as part of his cargo. None of the temperance prohibitioners at Hatteras have seen anything." However, they surely must be seeing sights on such "dry" land as is to be found in prohibition territory.

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Mrs. Helen Black, of Seattle, has sued her English husband for divorce because he would not let her touch off a fire cracker or display a United States flag on the 4th of July. The average patriotic woman would also let him go, Helen.

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They are now trying to make it appear that Harry Thaw was crazy because he thought of running for the United States Senate. Huh! that's no sign. He then had a barrel of money and knew that other men had bought seats in the Senate.

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A committee of the Board of Aldermen of Charlotte has found that "the city spent $1,041 too much last year." That is not such evtravagance for a city that has as good a time as Charlotte.

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"Get a smile on you" advises the American Printer. Sure, pard, but some men could get on a smile that won't come off if they could only get a "smile" or two in them.

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A man in Charlotte wants the Recorder reprimanded. Some people who "do things" never did see any use of placing bouquets on the Recorder's desk, anyhow.

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What is a lobbyist? A lobbyist is a fellow who asks a member of the Legislature to vote against a bill which you have asked the Legislator and all his friends to support.

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A little more eating at the White House probably "settled the hash" of the Western Senators who were trying to hold out against Senator Aldrich's skin game.

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—Kinston, August 3.—The heaviest rainstorm of the summer passed over this city Sunday afternoon which continued until early Monday morning. The total amount of rainfall was 2.65. Since June 1st the total rainfall has amounted to 21.84.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

—If tariff reform is what the people want they should get it out of politics as quickly as possible.—Durham Herald.

—It turns out that the report that Mr. Bryan was going to remove the headquarters of the Democratic party to Texas was somewhat premature.—Durham Herald.

—The Fayetteville Index suggests that the next N. C. Press Association go to Fayetteville and see the sights, then take the river route for Wilmington, holding the business session at Wrightsville Beach. This is a capital suggestion and we rise to second the motion.—Charity and Children, Thomasville.

—"It seems to me", writes Rev. Thomas P. Noe, of Wilmington, 'that what the world needs today is not a New Religion, but a new spirit of religion that shall make real in our every day life the limitless possibilities of our Old Religion, the religion of Jesus Christ."—Raleigh News and Observer.

—A New York publisher advertises the "Scattered Nation," as the work of Zebulon B. Vance, "Late U. S. Senator and Governor of West Virginia." Jumping Jehosophat! This from the home town of that Ogden who seems to think all the benighted ignorance of the country to be concentrated in the South and that he holds a divine commission to enlighten it.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

—The dinner given last Saturday to ex-slaves at Mount Zion Church was a decided success. About 50 ex-slaves were present, they were honored ones and received extra attention. A number of white men were present, who were given a separate table and were most politely served by the negroes. The ex-slaves also had a separate table, and ate before the other negroes. The best of order prevailed and all enjoyed the occasion hugely.—Cherokee (S. C.) News.

—As long as New England dominates Congress, so long will the South be discriminated against in tariff matters. As long as the South pursues the policy of changing its Congressmen who have proved able and influential, it will never get the upper hand of New England. North Carolina for one State, is now represented at Washington by men of marked ability—men whose already strong influence is becoming stronger every day. If this State is wise, it will keep them there. The South's weakness in Congress has been brought about by the success of the small politicians in retiring men it ought to keep there. The blame is on the policy it has pursued. The abandonment of this policy would in a short time give it the place it ought to command at the head of the nation.—Charlotte Chronicle.

## TWINKLINGS.

—Mr. Blower—"Your automobile hit me, but I got its number, all right!" Fair Occupant—"So nice! It will make a capital decoration for your den."—Puck.

—"She says she'd rather waltz than eat." "Well, she'll find plenty of men who would rather sign a dance programme than a dinner check."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"De man who is lookin' for trouble," said Uncle Eben, "generally finds it. But he mos' always doesn' manage to meet up wif de particular kind he felt competent to manage."—Washington Star.

—Passenger Agent—Here are some postcard views along our line of rail. Would you like them? Patron—No, thank you. I rode over the line one day last week, and have views of my own on it.—Tit-Bits.

—Mr. Flatfoot—Good mawnin', Miss Snowball. Whar is yo' all gwine dis mawnin'? Miss Snowball—Ah ain't gwine nowhar dis mawnin', Mistah Flatfoot. Ah done bin whar' Ah's gwine.—Chicago Daily News.

—She, to future son-in-law—"I may tell you that, though my daughter is well educated, she cannot cook." He—"That doesn't matter much, so long as she doesn't try."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—"Everybody says that Jones has the finest mind, insight and sagacity he ever ran across. How did Jones get such a reputation?" "Easy. Whenever you make a statement, he says, 'By Jove, that's so! Why didn't I ever think of that before.'"—Cleveland Leader.

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—Greensboro, N. C., August 3.—Mr. G. O. Coble, secretary and treasurer of the re-organized Pomona Cotton Mills, has just returned from an extended trip to Northern and Eastern cotton mill centers, where he made a minute study and investigation of the latest processes of manufacture and disposition of such products. Today, a force of mechanics was put to work making the necessary changes in the machinery of the mills, which is practically new and was strictly modern when placed three years ago, to manufacture the class of cotton goods now most remunerative and easiest sold. It is estimated now that the equipment will be in perfect order for running by September fifteenth, and by that time the two hundred comfortable dwellings surrounding the mills will be occupied by workers and wage earners.

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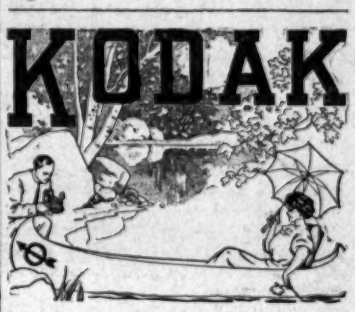

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All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

Dated this July 28th 1909.

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"The last to leave!" It is the law, universally asknowledged at sea by officers and men alike as the basis of self respect and honor. From it no captain is exempt.

One of the bravest of these heroes was Chief Officer Paterson of the British King. One day some winters ago he sailed from New York under Captain O'Hagan. Great storms impeded the passage of the ship, and so stupendous was the violence of the waves that they stove in the bow plates, and before the leakage was discovered tons of water rushed into the hold.

Captain O'Hagan told his men to shift the cargo, but barrels and cases were hurtling this way and that, and one of them, driving the captain back against the wall, crushed his leg so severely that he had to be carried to the lifeboat.

For a brief space there was no captain. Then Paterson took command. At a critical moment his strong personality and calm assurance saved the crew from panic. Three boats filled with sailors from the British King were launched in safety, while the new commander stood in silence on the bridge. Lower and lower sank the ill starred ship, and as she heaved and took her final plunge Paterson blew a farewell blast upon his whistle to the fast departing crew.

Quite different, but no less heroic, was the manner in which Captain Griffith of the Atlantic Transport line steamship Mohegan faced death. Though it was scarcely darker than twilight, he had run his vessel on the rocks near the Needles in October, 1898, and it was rapidly sinking. The last glimpse of Captain Griffith showed him standing on the bridge ordering the boats to be lowered in order to save his crew.

Heroic in death, too, was the captain of the oil ship Loodiana, which several years ago was burned at sea. Before thinking of his own safety he saw every man of his crew clear of the doomed vessel, and then it was too late. Foot by foot he was driven forward by the flames till at last he hung over the bow. A tramp steamship came up, but the waters were too rough for the lowering of the boats. Finally the flames compelled him to loosen his hold, and while his ship burned fiercely on he was dashed into the angry seas beneath.

But still more dramatic was the death of Captain Deloncle of the French liner La Bourgogne, sunk in the summer of 1898. As he stood one night upon the bridge a tall bark suddenly loomed out of the darkness and, dealing La Bourgogne a fatal blow, steamed hurriedly away. The men on board went frantic. In a scramble for safety firemen and crew lost their wits, and people ran up and down the deck in wild despair.

Deloncle stood calm amid the tumult. Suddenly he abandoned himself to the dramatic horror of the scene and, seizing the whistle rope, sent into the skies one long, wild, wailing groan. It was Deloncle's last salute.

Perhaps the noblest death of all was that of Captain Craven of the monitor Tecumseh at the attack in August, 1864, on Mobile. The ship was fast sinking. There was not a moment to be lost. At the foot of the ladder leading to the manhole above, the turret of safety, two men met, Captain Craven and his pilot. There would be time for but one to mount. The captain knew it; the pilot knew it. But there was no hesitation. With a smile Captain Craven stepped to one side.

"After you, pilot," he said.

The man sprang up the ladder, and his life was saved, but the brave captain was swept under and carried to destruction by the cruel sea.—London Answers.

**Buying Fodder For the Newlyweds.**

The newly married couple had just moved into their new home. On the morning after their arrival a baker called to solicit their trade. He found the young wife in the kitchen. After explaining that his wagon delivered once a day the baker asked, "And may we have your trade, madam?"

"Yes," she replied timidly; "we will give you a trial."

"And about how much bread will you want each day?"

"Well, I don't know exactly. You see, there are only two of us." Then doubtfully, "Would five loaves a day be enough, do you think?"—Judge.

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The Morning Star.

Thursday, August 5, 1909.

## WEATHER REPORT.

**U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.**

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 5, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Wednesday, Aug. 4th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 70 degrees; 8 P. M. 78 degrees; maximum 85 degrees; minimum 70 degrees; mean 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, 02 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 3 P. M. Wednesday 45 feet and rising slowly.

**Weather Forecast.**

For North Carolina—Local showers Thursday and probably Friday; light to moderate variable winds.

**Port Calendar—August 5.**

Sun Rises.....5:10 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:01 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs. 59 min.
High water at Southport 10:40 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 1:40 P. M.

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## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Miss Inez Crump, one of the Wadesboro's attractive young ladies, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Miss Elsie Hilker, of Raleigh, is the guest of Miss Norma Banck, at her home No. 108 Red Cross street.

—Miss Beatrice Prince, of Loris, S. C., is visiting in the city the guest of Miss Estelle Orrell, 310 North Ninth street.

—The Greensboro Record of the 4th says: "Mrs. Henry Poezolt left Saturday for a visit of a couple of weeks to Mrs. Eugene Poezolt, at Wilmington."

—Mrs. R. P. McClammy and Mrs. S. J. Bryan have gone to Canetuck to be the guests of Mrs A. R. Hilburn for some time.

—Miss Mary Read and Miss Florie Northrop left yesterday for Lenoir, N. C., where they will spend some time in the mountains.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were: S. H. Hamilton and G. T. Cox, Lumberton; Harvey Boney, Rose Hill; W. E. MacDaniel, Whiteville.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Ed C. Smith and children, and Mrs. W. S. MacRae left Monday for Wrightsville Beach, where they have rented a cottage for a month.——Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsley, of Macon, Ga., arrived here last night on a visit to Mrs. Parsley's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Jas. D. McNeill."

**Failed to Substantiate Charge.**

An interesting trial took place before Justice Gerritt Walker in Justice Sykes' office last night between 7:30 and 8:30 o'clock. Annie Wilson, a denizen of the underworld, was charged with stealing $40 from J. P. Hearn, of Salisbury, who was a visitor at her house Tuesday night. It appeared to the court that there was no evidence to connect the woman with the theft and the case was dismissed at the cost of the prosecutor. From the testimony Hearn visited several disreputable places Tuesday night and was in an intoxicated condition. The warrant was sworn out before Justice Sykes, but the defense asked for removal. Justice Walker happened to be in the office at the time and he was asked to hear the case. The warrant was served by Constable W. B. Savage.

**At the Seashore Hotel.**

Among those who arrived at the Seashore Hotel yesterday to spend several days are: Mrs. Claude B. Davis, Mrs. L. D. McDonald, Miss Sallie Cobb Johnson, Atlanta, Ga.; E. G. Moore, Miss Lucile Moore, Elm City, and Miss Ora V. Poole, Smithfield; Mrs. W. R. Phillips and little son and Miss Virginia Harley, Sumter, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Moore and child, Marion, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gardner, Miss Pearl Gardner, Miss Allie Moore, Sam J. Gantt, Shelby. The following Winston-Salem party arrived Tuesday: Mrs. Rosa Allen, Archie Allen, Miss Hester Knight, and Misses Margaret, Sudie and Maitie Williamson.

**Complaint in Damage Suit.**

The complaint in the civil action entitled J. C. Chestnutt against the Waccamaw Lumber Company, in which the plantiff is seeking damages for personal injuries alleged to have been received while in the employ of the defendant company in January of this year, was filed in the Superior Court yesterday. Damages in the sum of $1,999, is asked. The plaintiff alleges that he was severely and permanently injured in the shoulder. W. P. Mangum Turner and C. D. Weeks, Esqs., represent the plaintiff.

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## LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner Madeleine, Capt. Follette, cleared yesterday for Port-au-Prince with cargo of 399,362 feet of lumber, valued at $7,747.43, from the S. & W. H. Northrop Lumber Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—A frivolous assault case in which W. G. Dempsey, white, and Joseph Luke, colored, were the principals, was tried before Justice Bornemann yesterday, and the action disposed of by Luke's paying costs.

—The excursion of the Grace Epworth League on the steamer Wilmington this evening will be a feature trip of the season. The boat will go to Bald Head Island and a large crowd is expected.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Elks' Lodge will be held this evening at 8:30 P. M. A social session will follow. All members are urgently requested to attend according to the official call of Secretary D. N. Chadwick, Jr.

—The schooner Edward R. Baird, Jr., Capt. Bennett, cleared and sailed yesterday from Little River, S. C., where she received cargo of about 275,000 feet of lumber from the Hammer Lumber Company, for New York; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

—Building permits have been issued by Inspector Bonitz to Mark Taylor, for a cottage on 13th, between Walnut and Grace streets, to cost $500, and to C. Fannie Blunt, for a cottage on Charlotte street, between 12th and 13th streets, to cost $150.

## FUND FOR THE BOYS

**Rev. Mr. Hogue Writes Letter of Grateful Appreciation—Others.**

The Star is in receipt of a letter of very cordial thanks from Rev. R. W. Hogue to his Wilmington friends, who have responded so generously to his appeal in behalf of the boys who are being cared for through his instrumentality in a training school. Rev. Mr. Hogue writes:

"I must express to you my hearty appreciation of your kindness in the matter of the appeal for the young boys to which you gave space in your paper. I felt that I had no right to appeal to all my friends in Wilmington by personal letter and took what I deemed the fairer, though less promising, method of a general statement in the paper. I am deeply grateful and glad to say that the mail today brought me nearly one-fourth of the amount needed. I believe that your courtesy of space and commendation for the appeal will result in the whole amount's being secured. Since I am leaving home on a mission connected with my work and may not be back for several days I wish to acknowledge through the Star contributions received for the boys from Messrs D. L. Gore, Geo. Rountree, H. C. Prince, W. M. Cumming, J. W. Murchison, Miss Agnes McQueen and a friend who does not care for the mention of his name. I shall appreciate your receiving any contributions that may be given you for this cause.

"Very Sincerely,
"R. W. HOGUE."

Yesterday the Star received additional contributions for the fund from Mr. P. Pearsall $5 and from "A Friend" $2, both of which amounts have been forwarded. Any other amounts will also likewise be thankfully received.

## MARRIED LAST NIGHT.

**Miss Maggie Simon Becomes Bride of Mr. J. T. Williams.**

In the presence of a number of relatives and friends, Miss Maggie Simon, the attractive daughter of Mrs. Fannie Moore, and Mr. J. Thomas Williams were joined in marriage at 9 o'clock last night, the ceremony being performed at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. G. A. Martin, 809 South Seventh street. Owing to illness in the family the ceremony was not performed at the home of the bride. Immediately after the nuptial event the bridal party went to the home of the bride where refreshments were served.

Mr. Williams was with Mercer & Williams, furniture dealers, for a number of years, but recently has been associated with his brother in the furniture business at Dillon, S. C. A branch store will be opened at Lumberton within the next 30 days and Mr. Williams will be in charge of the business there. He will remain here until his stock of goods arrive in Lumberton. His bride is an attractive young lady and has a large circle of admirers. The best wishes of many friends are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Williams.

## REV. I. W. HUGHES RESIGNS

**Will Leave Fayetteville For Parish in Henderson, N. C.**

Many Wilmington friends and many throughout the Eastern Carolina diocese will hear with regret that Rev. I. W. Hughes, rector of St. John's Church, Fayetteville, has tendered his resignation to take effect September 30th, after a service of 14 1-2 years and that he will go to the church of the Holy Innocents at Henderson, N. C., to which he received a call some time ago. Rev. Mr. Hughes has many friends in this section of the State who will learn of his contemplated change with much regret.

**Big Excursion Coming Friday.**

An excursion from Angier, N. C., to this city over the Coast Line tomorrow is expected to be one of the largest of the season. The train will be operated by way of Fayetteville and large numbers will doubtless come here from various points along the route. The excursion will arrive tomorrow morning and on the return trip will leave at 9 P. M. The managers of the excursion are Messrs. J. F. Womble, Charles L. Guy, Jno. L. Thompson, and Frank Draughon.

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## MEETING OF UNDERWRITERS

**Twelfth Annual Session of Underwriters' Association Convened Yesterday—Fine Attendance. Closing Today.**

With an attendance of between 50 and 75 members from various portions of the State, the 12th annual convention of the North Carolina Underwriters' Association convened in the assembly hall of the Seashore Hotel yesterday morning. A number of others arrived during the afternoon and evening and still others are expected this morning.

This is said to be one of the best meetings ever held by the Association. The members are taking enough time from business matters to enjoy the pleasures of the seashore, and will return home better prepared to take up the problems with which they are daily confronted. The attendance is said to be better than at the meeting in Rocky Mount last year and there would have been more here had the convention not been held the first of the month. The closing session will be held this afternoon, but a majority of the visitors will remain at the beach, where they are being well cared for by Manager Hinton, of the Seashore, until Friday or Saturday.

**The Morning Session.**

The opening session was held yesterday morning, the convention being called to order at 11 o'clock by President R. W. Murray, of Greensboro. Col. Walker Taylor introduced Hon. John D. Bellamy, who delivered the address of welcome in his usual eloquent manner. He briefly reviewed the history of this section of the State, vividly picturing some of the scenes of the Revolutionary and Civil Wars. In his concluding remarks he called attention to the many mysteries of the sea which are known only to those who brave its dangers. "Just above Tarrymoore," said the speaker, "is an inlet and just below Lumina there is an inlet, and those who brave the dangers can see schooners passing over the bar." The insurance men put the proper construction upon the remark and the speaker was heartily cheered. Mr. Bellamy said that the Mayor of Wrightsville had told him that all laws had been suspended during the stay of the insurance men and the beach was theirs to do with it as they saw fit. The speaker closed amidst hearty applause of the visitors.

The response was made by Mr. W. B. Strachan, of Salisbury, instead of by President Murray, as announced on the programme. He said he was sure that he voiced the sentiments of all the members in saying that it was a great pleasure to meet at Wrightsville Beach and enjoy the hospitality of the people of Wilmington and the beach. He spoke of the work of the association in discussing the various perplexing questions that are constantly arising and of the exchange of ideas as to the best methods of doing business. He closed by paying a high tribute to Col. Walker Taylor, of this city, who represented the association at the National convention with such conspicuous ability.

President Murray in his annual address reviewed the work of the association during the past year. He referred to the introduction in the last Legislature of a bill requiring all companies doing business in this State to make a deposit with the Insurance Commission. The bill was not passed as presented, the deposit feature being stricken out, a bond being required instead. In his opinion the bill as passed is worse than no law at all relative to that feature of the insurance business. The president commended the new law requiring fire escapes. Deputy Insurance Commissioner Scott has about completed his first visit of the towns of the State to see that the fire escapes are provided according to law. The annual fire loss is enormous. The building inspector in each town is required to make inspections of the buildings and a strict enforcement of this law will save many thousands of dollars in preventing the destruction of property by fire. He said that the insurance agents could assist in preventing destructive fires by making suggestions, etc. The Druggists' mutual and the Hardware mutual insurance companies, are the strongest competing Western companies the agents of the State have to work against. They have a strong hold, said the speaker. There are in the State some 2,300 licensed insurance agents and only a comparatively few are members of the association. This is a condition the president said should not exist and he called upon each member to get at least one new member during the ensuing year. He spoke of the rapid increase in the number of agents and said that the new men should be made familiar with every detail of the work. In other words, the agents should be educated in the insurance business. The association, he said, had among its members some of the best men in the South.

In conclusion he thanked the members for the honor conferred upon him and expressed regret that he had not been able to accomplish more for the association.

The report of Mr. John M. Harrell, of High Point, secretary and treasurer, showed the association to be in splendid financial condition.

President Murray announced the following committees:

On President's Message—Clayton Giles, Jr., Wilmington; Thos. Griffith, Charlotte; W. E. Sharpe, Burlington.

Secretary and Treasurer's Report—C. A. Scott, Graham; Swift M. Boatwright, Wilmington; W. C. Maupin, Salisbury.

On the suggestion of the secretary and treasurer the president said he would appoint a committee on memorials at the afternoon session.

Mr. N. J. Heyward, of Columbia, S. C., read an interesting poem on the convention and some of its members. The poem was ordered spread upon the minutes. Mr. H. G. Foard, of the Carolina Insurance Company, formally tendered an invitation to the visitors to be guests of the company for a trip down the Cape Fear this afternoon.

Three new members were enrolled as follows: Miller & Mebane, Greensboro; R. Furmon Jarrett, Franklin; N. C. English, Monroe. Those present at the opening session were: Local agents—Clayton Giles, Sr., Swift M. Boatwright, J. O. Reilly, Col. Walker Taylor, Lieutenant-Colenel J. VanB. Metts, Wilmington; W. S. Wilkinson, Rocky Mount; E. E. Emerson, Spray; W. B. Strachan, Salisbury; W. C. Maupin, Salisbury; N. C. English, Monroe; Thos. Griffith, Charlotte; C. A. Scott, Graham; L. G. Cole, Durham; J. T. Gardner, Shelby; Mr. Ogburn, Winston-Salem; W. E. Sharpe, Burlington. Special agents—N. J. Heyward, Aetna; Fred C. Clark, Insurance Company of North America; W. S. Vaughn, Providence, Washington; R. S. Busbee, Glens Falls; Jefferson Pierce, North British and Mercantile; B. J. Smith, Home Insurance Company; J. J. Elder, Hamburg, Bremen; Paul Schenck, Underwriters' Fire; Robt. Davis, Underwriters, Rocky Mount; John Clark, Georgia Home; Mr. Bickerstaff, Atlanta Home; W. W. Smith, Western Assurance; A. P. Felts, People's National; H. G. Foard, Carolina; R. E. Currier, Pamlico; W. W. Kirkpatrick, Seaboard Fire and Marine; Fred Strudwick, New Brunswick; Gordon Williams, Independent Adjuster.

**Afternoon Session.**

At the afternoon session, which convened at 3 o'clock, the committee on the president's address and the committee on the report of the secretary and treasurer, reported, both being approved. President Murray deferred until today the appointment of a committee on memorials. Two members of the organization died during the year—Capt. J. H. Walsh, of Greensboro, and Mr. J. B. Roller, of Oxford. The members of the Association learned with sincere regret of the serious illness in a hospital in Philadelphia of Mr. A. B. Daingerfield, of Winston-Salem, one of the most prominent members of the association.

The elevation of the agents, mention of which was made in the president's address, was discussed at some length. The members believe with the president that the agents should be thoroughly familiar with the insurance business.

Mr. Paul Schenck, of Greensboro, of the Original Four, extended in behalf of his company, the Merchants and Manufacturers' Club and the local underwriters, a hearty invitation to hold the next meeting in Greensboro. The selection will be made at the session this morning. It is probable that Greensboro will get the meeting.

Hon. James H. Southgate, of Durham, who was scheduled to deliver an address this morning on "Relation of State Association to National Association," was unable to attend the meeting and Col. Walker Taylor, of this city, has been asked to speak on that subject.

Among those who registered at the afternoon session were: J. Frank Flowers, Charlotte; C. H. Murray, Charlotte; Alex. Webb, Raleigh; J. M. Robertson, Hartford, Conn.; Simpson Schenck, Fayetteville. New members enrolled at afternoon session: W. L. Mann, of Albemarle; J. G. Kerr, Wallace; W. N. H. Smith, Raleigh.

Adjournment was taken shortly after 4 o'clock. After donning bathing suits the local and special agents played a game of baseball on the beach. Col. Walker Taylor started in to umpire the game, but his decisions were so unsatisfactory he was relieved by Mr. W. S. Wilkinson, of Rocky Mount. At the close of five innings the game was called on account of darkness (?), the score, it is said, standing 5 to 5. The features of the game were said to be the sensational work of Elder on third and the "bonehead" work of Harrell at shortstop for the locals. However, the game was greatly enjoyed by the players as well as the hundred or more spectators. At the conclusion of the game the "boys" took a dip in the surf.

Last night the visitors were the guests of the Tidewater Power Company at a Grand Turkish Ball, at Lumina, which proved one of the most enjoyable special events ever given by the company. The pavilion was comfortably crowded with pleasure seekers, there being a very large attendance from the city.

This morning's session will convene at 11 o'clock. Following the address by Colonel Taylor, reports of committees will be received, next meeting place selected, and officers for the ensuing year elected. This will conclude the business of the convention.

The visitors will be the guests of the Carolina Insurance Company this afternoon. They will leave the Seashore Hotel on special cars at 3 o'clock, coming to the city where they will view an exhibition of the Wilmington Fire Department at corner of Front and Market streets. At 5 o'clock the party will board the steamer Wilmington for a trip down the Cape Fear river. This is looked forward to with keenest anticipation.

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Ladies' $1.25 Summer Muslin Under Skirts.....98c
Ladies Summer Muslin Gowns
Ladies' 25c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....15c
Ladies 39c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....25c
Ladies' 50c Summer Muslin Corset Covers.....39c

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## HIGH WATER IN THE RIVER.

**Had Reached 45 Feet at 3 O'clock Yesterday Afternoon—Excursion.**

The Fayetteville Observer of yesterday afternoon says that at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the stage of the water in the Cape Fear river at that point had reached 42 feet and that at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon it had reached 45 feet and was still rising, but very slowly.

Reports from the lowlands of the river were to the effect that a great number of acres are covered with water and much corn destroyed. The water at Buckhorn backed up so high that the big hydro-electric plant there, which furnishes power to Fayetteville, Raleigh and Sanford, has had to shut down until the freshet subsides. The hydro-electric plant at Manchester, on Little river, which furnishes the power for the city's lighting and street railway system was also compelled to shut down on account of high water though little damage has been done at the plant. Fayetteville was lighted last night and the cars were run yesterday afternoon from power generated at the steam plant in the city. At 8:30 o'clock last night the steamer City of Fayetteville left with a big excursion from Fayetteville for Wilmington, including the baseball team, and great sport was expected coming down on the crest of the freshet.

A warning message received yesterday afternoon from Director Thiessen at Raleigh is as follows: "Cape Fear river will rise to 49 feet at Fayetteville by Thursday morning."

## MR. LEON'S SUGGESTION

**To The Men of Bethel, He Addresses A Request.**

Mr. L. Leon, of this city, who through The Star a few days ago suggested that at the reunion of the Confederate Veterans in Charlote this month a reunion of the survivors of the Battle of Bethel be held, has heard from a number of those who took part in the first struggle of the Civil war. Yesterday he handed The Star the following card and requested its publication:

"I have heard from a number of our old comrades. They say they will try and get to the reunion in Charlotte. Comrade W. B. Taylor, in Charlotte, will see to it that we get a hall and he will set the time of our meeting. He will have it published in the papers so we will all know the day and the hour. He suggests that we do as we did when we went into the fight—wear a piece of white cloth around our hats so that we will know our old comrades in the streets. State papers please copy."

**The Crime Of Idleness.**

Idleness means trouble for any one. Its the same with a lazy liver. It causes constipation, headache, jaundice, sallow complexion, pimples and blotches, loss of appetite, nausea, but Dr. King's New Life Pills soon banish liver troubles and build up your health, 25c at R. R. Bellamy.

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## MISSIONARY MOVEMENT

**Presiding Elder Cuninggim Issues Appeal to Churches of District.**

To the Pastors of the Wilmington District, M. E. Church, South.

At the District Conference at Magnolia it was decided that the 5th Sunday in August should be observed according to the request of Dr. Zollicoffer, our Conference Lay Leader. This means that the pastors, and the lay leader of the charge, and the lay leaders of the individual churches, shall arrange for a service to be held at each church, by the pastor, or a local preacher, or by a layman and that an opportunity shall be given to the people to make a special, thank offering to the missionary interests of our church. If it is not possible to arrange for the service, then let the offering be made through the Sunday School on that day. But if possible, arrange for the special service so that at every church in the District there may be held a service that day. It would be of great worth to the laymen to put this responsibility upon them, and to give them this opportunity to do some definite work for Christ and His church that day. Be sure not to overlook this great opportunity.

The offerings of that day are expected to be special, free-will offerings, over and above the assessments against the churches, yet, in the event the church has failed to pay its assessment the deficit may be paid out of the special offerings. However, if it can be done, let the whole offering be a surplus.

Again, let me beg you not to neglect this matter. It is greatly, gravely important, and rightly observed will prove a rich blessing to you, to your laymen, to your churches. It is in the hands, and within the power of the pastors to make the 5th Sunday in August a truly great day. Will you do it?

Let the service and the offerings be announced, and frequetly, beforehand, so that they may be well known. Let us have and beget a spirit of enthusiasm.

Looking to you to be true leaders of your people in this, as in other matters, I remain, very truly yours,

W. L. CUNINGGIM, P. E.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 4, 1909.

Will the conty and local newspapers within the bounds of the Wilmington District do me the kindness to publish the above notice, and if they are disposed to call attention to it, I will appreciate their doing so.

**Ball Team Coming by Steamer.**

A baseball excursion from Fayetteville to Wilmington on the steamer City of Fayetteville was scheduled to leave the upper Cape Fear metropolis at 8:30 o'clock last night, bringing the Highlander baseball team to this city for the games with the Sailors beginning this afternoon. The steamer is expected to arrive this morning at 9 o'clock. The team is comfortably quartered on the steamer and will reach Wilmington in fine trim. The steamer will leave Wilmington on the return at 10 o'clock tonight. The fare for the round trip for all who desire to come is $1.50 for the round trip and the managers are Messrs. J. E. Register and John W. Judge.

**Robbed of Watch and Vest.**

John Whitman, a white wood sawyer, who has an office at the foot of Orange street, made complaint to the police yesterday that he had been robbed of a vest to which was attached a gold watch and chain. He stated that the thief took it from his office yesterday morning while he was away and that he had been unable to discover any clue to the missing property. The crystal of the watch was broken. The police are making efforts to find the bold intruder.

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# SUPERIOR COURT ADJOURNS

**J. H. MurPhy Gets Six Months and Ammie Cumber 12 Months on Roads—Winner Case Continued—Judgments.**

The regular two weeks' July term of New Hanover Superior court, which convened July 26th, adjourned at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, all business of the term having been disposed of. There were no jury trials yesterday, the day being taken up in passing sentences, hearing motions and signing judgments in civil actions.

When court convened yesterday morning J. H. Murphy, a few months ago secretary and treasurer of a so-called social club, and Ammie Cumber, both convicted of selling whiskey, were called to the bar to hear sentence pronounced upon them by Judge Allen. Col. A. M. Waddell, of counsel for Murphy, made a strong plea for leniency for his client. He called attention to the age of the defendant, which was given at 65, and said that he came to Wilmington to make an honest living and did not know he was violating any law in the conduct of the club. He said his client told him that he suffered from heart disease and was certain he would not live long if he had to serve a term on the roads. He also spoke of the fact that Murphy had been in jail for the past four months. Judge Allen did not seem to have any sympathy for Murphy. He said that he appeared to be a man of more than average intelligence, yet he engaged in the liquor traffic under the guise of a social club. He was inclined to think Murphy a crook, though he said he might be mistaken as to that. Judge Allen sustained the Recorder, giving the defendant six months on the roads. A plea of guilty was entered in the other four cases against the defendant and judgment in these was suspended. Yesterday afternoon Murphy went to Judge Allen and made a plea in his own behalf. Judge Allen told him that his counsel had served him faithfully and ably presented his reasons for asking for leniency. He stated further that had the Recorder not imposed a sentence of six months he would have made it one year. He allowed the prisoner to go down street in company with Jailer J. M. Branch to attend to some private business matters.

Ammie Cumber, convicted last week of selling whiskey, the principal witness being Policeman Saunders, was given 12 months on the county roads. The defendant protested that he was innocent of the crime for which he was convicted, but Judge Allen said that the evidence in the case showed that he was at least a runner for a disreputable place. The Recorder tried the case and sentenced the defendant to 12 months on the roads ,an appeal being taken to the Superior court.

After carefully considering the matter Hon. John D. Bellamy and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., counsel for M. L. Winner, charged with selling whiskey, decided to withdraw their motion to quash the warrant on the ground that the indictment should have been passed on by a grand jury and the defendant given the right of a trial by jury in a court of final jurisdiction. It will be recalled that when the case was heard before the Recorder counsel asked for a trial by jury which was denied. Until yesterday afternoon counsel expected to carry the case to the Supreme court and have the validity of the Recorder's court act tested. It may be done at the next term of court, but it is doubtful. The case was continued until the September term and the bond of the defendant fixed at $200, a reduction of $300, which was given by Hon. John D. Bellamy.

The case against Henry Taylor, alias Prince Toler, charged with selling whiskey, was continued until next term and bond of $100 was required. This was one of the cases remanded back to the Recorder because of irregularity in the warrant, but yesterday counsel waived the defect in the warrant and asked for continuance.

The case against C. D. Gilbert, charged with a nuisance, was continued. Case against Ed Wrisbom, charged with forcible trespass, was nol prossed with leave.

A non-suit in the civil action entitled Joseph Akerman against Olin M. Britt was taken. Judge Allen also signed a judgment in the case of Lonna Hollingsworth, by her next friend, Sarah L. Hollingsworth, against B. C. Moon, involving rents from a piece of property, an agreement having been reached between the parties.

Hon. John D. Bellamy and Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., moved that the costs in the cases against Mark and Leslie Winner for destroying personal property and trespass, tried Tuesday, be taxed against the prosecutors. They did not think the county should bear the expense of the cases. Judge Allen held that the prosecutors would have to be notified before action could be taken. Counsel then moved that the prosecutors in the cases show cause why they should not be required to pay the costs. It was so ordered.

The case against Hartsfield Crandall, in which he is charged with selling whiskey, was continued. He was found guilty last week of a simple assault upon Lee Justice and in this case was sentenced to 30 days on the roads.

Judge Allen signed an order in the case of John Doe, alias Joe, directing that the sheriff carry the prisoner to the hospital for the dangerous insane and there be confined, cared for and maintained according to law. Doe was charged with attempted criminal assault. The jury decided that he was insane and the criminal proceedings were stopped.

In the case of the Seaboard Air Line vs. the City of Wilmington et al., Hon. John D. Bellamy made a motion that the matter be disposed of. It is a condemnation proceeding in which the Seaboard and North Carolina Terminal Company were seeking property for their terminals in this city. A board of appraisers was named and the property valued at $12,000, half of which was allowed the city of Wilmington. Mr. Bellamy said his company had the money tied up and wanted to make some disposition of the case. City Attorney Herbert McClammy asked for a continuance until the next term, which was granted.

The jury was discharged when court reconvened at 3 o'clock yesterday. The afternoon session was devoted entirely to hearing motions and signing judgments.

# NAVIGATION AND PILOTAGE

**Board of Commissioners Receive Report From July Soundings Committee—Inspector Will Remove Lights at Bar.**

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage was held yesterday with the following present; Vice Chairman H. W. Malloy, Commissioners M. C. Guthrie and Richard Dosher and Clerk L. Brown McKoy.

The clerk reported that in accordance with the instructions of the Board at the July meeting, he wrote to the Inspector of the Sixth Lighthouse District, calling his atention to the fact that the lights and ranges in certain places near the bar do not indicate the deepest water, and asking in the name of the Board, in the interest of the commerce of the river, that the irregularity be remedied with as little delay as possible. In reply to this letter the Inspector assured the Board that the lights would be moved just as soon as the survey of the entrance of the river is completed.

Report of the July soundings committee was read and ordered filed. The detailed report, as given below, shows the depth in feet at high water, with a rise in tide of 4 1-2 feet. These soundings were taken on July 26, 1909.

From sea buoy to buoy No. 1, greatest 28, least 25 1-2.

From buoy No. 1 to buoy No. 3, greatest 29; least 26 1-2.

From buoy N. 3 to buoy No. 2, greatest 30; least 20.

From buoy No. 2 to buoy No. 4, greatest 28; least 26.

From buoy No. 4 to buoy No. 4 1-2, greatest 30; least 27.

Pilot J. W. Keal, one of the pilots appointed to take the July soundings, was excused from serving on the committee, and, upon motion of Commissioner Guthrie, it was ordered that he be relieved of all duty on sounding committees until his health is improved.

The Board also received a report from the Special Quarterly Soundings Committee, which was accepted and ordered filed. The Commissioners were greatly pleased with this report, which was most complete and carefully prepared, giving the soundings of the river channel between Wilmington and Southport, and they spoke in very complimentary terms about the manner in which the committee had done its work.

The quarterly report of the Harbor Master was read and ordered filed.

A complaint signed by Messrs. Clyde Newton and Frank St. George, dated Southport, July 20th, claiming that several pilotboats were being used for purposes other than those of pilotage, was read before the Board, but action in the matter was deferred until the Commissioners can receive a statement from the owners of the boats in question. The case will be brought up again at the meeting of the Board in September.

It has been evident to the Board for some time that the cruising grounds of the Cape Fear pilots are somewhat restricted, and the matter was again referred to by Commissioner Guthrie. After discussing the subject at length it was ordered by the Board, on Commissioner Guthrie's motion, that in future the cruising ground shall be extended to the south, and that instead of being "bounded on the South by Little River, and an imaginary line drawn directly southeast from Little River" it shall hereafter be "bounded on the west by Little River and an imaginary line drawn directly south from Little River."

## SLANDER CASE TRIED

**Colored Women Were Principals in Hearing Before Recorder.**

A charge of sladenr against Lizzie Hill, colored, with Lizzie Cannady as the prosecuting witness, was the only case investigated in the Recorder's court yesterday morning. The Cannady woman alleges that the defendant circulated a story that she was living in an improper manner and a number of witnesses were introduced for both sides at the trial. Recorder Furlong reserved his decision in the case until 11 o'clock today. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., represented the Cannady woman and Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for Lizie Hill.

The case in which John Bunnell, a white man, is charged with entering the home of Mr. J. E. Mintz, on South Front street, was called, but on account of the absence of a material witness, Dr. Caldwell, for the defense, the Recorder at the request of Herbert McClammy, Esq., Bunnell's attorney, the case was continued to Saturday morning. The case is of such a nature that the trial will be a most interesting one. It is understood that evidence will be introduced to show that Bunnell is in the habit of walking in his sleep and that he entered Mr. Mintz's home for no malicious purpose.

**Embezzlement Charged.**

James M. Gorman, white, of Harnett township, will answer a charge of embezzlement in Magistrate Harriss' court this morning at 10 o'clock. He was arrested several days ago and gave bond of $100. The prosecuting witness is Mr. F. Fosgate, who lives on South Fourth street, the latter alleging that Gorman disposed of a car load of goods and failed to make the proper remittance for the same. Both sides have employed counsel, Hon. John D. Bellamy for the defense and Herbert McClammy, Esq., for Mr. Fosgate.

# THE ALDERMEN IN SESSION

**City Will Take Over Street Cleaning at Once—Purchase of Teams. Enforcement of Prohibition Up to County Authorities.**

At a special meeting yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, the Board of Aldermen received and acted upon a report from the committee of conference appointed Monday night to confer with the Board of Audit and Finance with reference to the street cleaning, the result being that the work will be taken over as soon as practicable by the Streets and Wharves Committee, while a number of other matters of more or less interest were considered briefly.

There were present at the meeting Mayor MacRae presiding, Messrs. Hall, Stone and Hinton, of the conference committee, Ellis, Bonitz, Fales and West. Chairman Hall, of the committee, at whose request the meeting was called, briefly reviewed the conference Tuesday night with the Board of Audit and Finance and stated that the committee had submitted a statement of the probable cost of street cleaning by the city according to figures prepared by Mr. Bonitz, who said that with the amount named, the city could perform the work equally as efficiently if not more efficiently than the same is now being done by contract. He read an estimate of what would be required for the Streets and wharves Department including $2,040 for the purchase of equipment and $15,424 for street cleaning during the fiscal year. The Board of Aldermen had recommended a salary of $1,100 for the superintendent of streets, the Board of Audit and Finance had favored $720 but a compromise had been effected by which the salary had been agreed upon at $960 per year. After considering the matter very carefully it had been finally decided to appropriate $15,106 for street cleaning, making the total appropriation $32,570. Mr. Hall stated that the committee felt it had done all it had been authorized to do and would recommend that the budget as practically agreed upon be adopted by the Aldermen. He said that the Board of Audit and Finance and his committee thought that in taking over this work, if the teams and equipment which the present contractors, Messrs. Woolard & Furlong, have on hand are available, they should be purchased by the city, if it could be done on an equitable basis. They have six mules, two horses, two wagons and harness and four carts and harness. These could be bought for $1,450. Upon motion of Mr. West the appropriation as agreed upon by the two Boards was formally adopted, the total being $32,570. Mr. Stone, of the committee, spoke of the kindly feeling with which the committee had been received by the Board of Audit and Finance and said there was certainly no reason for friction in the future; that each Board realized that the other was doing the very best it saw for the interest of the city and that they should work together in harmony for the common good.

The matter of the purchase of teams was then taken up and after some further discussion, the whole matter was referred to the Streets and Wharves Committee, Messrs. Bonitz, Ellis and Willard, to purchase whatever equipment and teams are necessary with the sense of the Board that the outfit of the present contractors should be purchased, if a purchase can be effected on what the committee thinks is an equitable basis. Mr. Ellis thought that the entire Board should pass on the question but Mr. Hall explained that the reference to the committee with power to act was in order to facilitate matters and Mr. Ellis entered no further objections. As to the time when the street cleaning is to be taken over, a motion was adopted that the change of systems be made not earlier than next Monday and then upon notification to the Mayor that the Streets and Wharves Committee is ready to begin the work.

Mr. Fales inquired what had become of his appropriation of $200 for detective work and the Mayor read from an official communication from the Board of Audit and Finance as follows:

"The Board decined to concur in an appropriation of $200 for detective work, the duty of detecting and punishing offenses, particularly against State laws, resting, in the opinion of this Board, primarily upon the State and county authorties."

There was no discussion of the subject.

The matter of sinking four deep wells in different parts of the city and a drinking fountain for animals at 15th and Market streets, was referred to the Water Committee with instructions to avail itself of the appropriation in hand. Chief of Police Williams addressed the Board in favor of having the well for 3rd and Brunswick streets placed at Fourth and Brunswick, but Mr. West declined to yield, stating that a large body of "voters" lived in the vicinity of 3rd and Brunswick and as they were without water, it would be placed as near convenient to them as possible. Several of his colleagues gave Mr. West the "laugh" when he intimated that it was "the voters" he was endeavoring to please.

The Board adjourned subject to the call of the Mayor.

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# BOTH TO RALEIGH

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went to the bat and was then immediately called out on third strike; Howard was then out to first unassisted and Gwaltney was out second to first. Jayes got a nice single in the ninth after Sharp flew to centre, but Kite flew to centre and Howard who played right field was out at first unassisted.

**The Tabulated Score.**

| Wilmington | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nichols, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Guerrant, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Brodie, cf | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Sharpe, ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Jayes, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Kite, c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Howard, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Gwaltney, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Ashton, p | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 28 | 0 | 4 | 26 | 8 | 1 |

| Raleigh | AB | R | H | O | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Crozier cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Haas, 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| F. Hoover, rf | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hoffman, lf | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| C. Hoover, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| Brumfeld, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Hart, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Rowe, c | 3 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Brandon, p | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| Totals | 26 | 3 | 4 | 27 | 10 | 1 |

**Score by Innings.**

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| Wilmington | 000 000 000—0 4 1 |
| Raleigh | 000 102 00x—3 4 1 |

Summary: First base on errors, Raleigh 1, Wilmington 1; sacrifice hits, Guerrant, F. Hoover and C. Hoover; sacrifice fly, Hoffman; stolen bases, Guerrant; three-base hit, F. Hoover; two-base hit, Ashton; first base on balls, off Brandon 4, Ashton 0; struck out, by Brandon 2, by Ashton 0; left on bases, Raleigh 2, Wilmington 7; time 1:40 ;umpire, Barre.

**Fayetteville Game.**

Fayetteville, N. C., Aug. 4.—Rocky Mount and Fayetteville again divided a doubleheader today. The locals won the first by hard hitting, mixed with errors, Thorpe being knocked from the rubber in the second inning. The visitors got the second 3 to 1, through two runners being hit by thrown balls, following an error. Luyster's pitching featured the second game and Schumaker's great catch, the first. Score:

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| Rocky Mount | 000 002 010—3 7 3 |
| Fayetteville | 320 100 00x—6 9 3 |

Second Game:

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|---|---|
| Rocky Mount | 002 010 000—3 8 1 |
| Fayetteville | 000 000 001—1 5 3 |

Luyster and Walsh; Kull and Galvin; umpire Faid.

**Assault on Umpire.**

Goldsboro, N. C., Aug. 4.—Goldsboro and Wilson broke even in a doubleheader today in which Stoehr pitched all except the first inning of the second game for the local team in great style. Pritchard was on the mound in the first inning of game No. 2, and yielded three two-baggers, Stoehr was sent in the second inning and finished the game allowing but five hits. Second baseman Kelly was the star performer, getting three two-baggers in the second game, driving in four of the five runs winning the game. The game was marred by a disgraceful assault on Umpire Sullivan by several of the visitors in the fifth inning. Acting President King and the police present were forced to interfere before play was resumed. Score:

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| Wilson | 020 000 000—2 4 2 |
| Goldsboro | 000 000 000—0 3 3 |

Cowell and Gilmore; Stoehr and Fulton; time 1:40.

Second Game:

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| Goldsboro | 000 020 12x—5 10 1 |
| Wilson | 300 000 100—4 8 2 |

Pritchard, Stoehr and Fulton; Withers, Lane and Gilmore; time 1:42; umpire, Sullivan; attendance 800.

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Jayesy did most of the timber work for the locals, and he was closely followed by Jack Ashton.

Sure, we're still on the Sunny Side, and are going to start right in winning again. Be on hand to see the fun.

Howard pitched remarkable ball considering the gruelling work he pulled off last week when the team needed games bad.

The denizens of the Capital City must have witnessed a grade of ball yesterday that would have tickled the palates of the most exacting baseball epicures.

"Reuben Howard; you're all right. Fullenwider didn't do any better." And there was no flies on Jack Ashton's twirling, either, if anybody should ask you.

It is reported that Joe Lohr, the heavy hitting outfielder who recently secured his release from Fayetteville, has been taken over before the mast of the Sailors, though he did not appear in the games yesterday.

Only two earned runs for Raleigh. The others came on errors, and the first contest would have undoubtedly been Rube's game had it not been for a slight slip-up on the part of Nichols. But that's all right, Nich.

Brodie and Nichols were the highway robbers in checking in at second; and, again, as on the day before, the Raleigh heavers feared these mighty hitters and gave them constitutionals time after time.

For cripples, and playing two pitchers in other than their regular positions, through necessity, not to speak of an improvised line-up otherwise, the recent performances of the Sailors have been nothing short of extraordinary, and when yesterday's double defeat is considered, after giving the above due thought, the pill is not so bitter after all.

**At The Bijou Today.**

"The Little Detective" and "The Fan," the feature pictures at the Bijou today, will prove of unusual interest to the many patrons of the popular theatre. In "The Fan" the patrons will enjoy a picture of rare beauty. An old wizard attempts to entertain a charming lady with a large fan, which is presented in the centre of the stage. Upon this fan appears various types of beautiful girls in numerous classic poses. "The Little Detective" will be found equally as interesting.

**Mr. and Mrs. Craig Bereaved.**

Friends in the city will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Craig in the death of their infant child, which occurred at the family home, No. 402 North Ninth street, yesterday morning. The funeral will be held from the home this morning and the remains will be interred in Oakdale cemetery.

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## SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Greensboro, August 3.—The Messrs. Cone have purchased the Vandeventer Carpet Mills, including the buildings and real estate adjoining. The old machinery is being taken out and the factory overhauled for the production of another class of textiles.

—Troy, August 2.—Heavy rains fell in this section last night and today. All streams are full and low land crops will be damaged greatly. News comes from Copelsie that Little river has already reached the high water mark it reached last August during the heavy freshet.

—Wilson, August 3.—Deputy U. S. Marshal Meares arrested and brought Levy Eason, the postmaster at Walstonburg, here. He is charged with misappropriation of funds. In justice to Mr. Eason it is said that his interpretation of the law was incorrect and the shortage was made good before his arrest. He was placed under a $300 bond.

—Greenville, August 3.—Last night a colored man named Jim Thorp, living about three miles from town, committed criminal assault on his own daughter, who is about seventeen years old. When Thorn's crime became known today he took to the woods. Officers went out to hunt for him this afternoon, but failed to locate him.

—Elizabeth City, August 3.—The body of a middle aged negro was found floating in the Pasquotank river near the Norfolk and Southern wharves this morning and was towed in by a tug. The coroner viewed the body and decided that death resulted from drowning. Pawn tickets from Norfolk found in pockets indicate the name of the man to be Anthony, and the clothing looks to be that of a fireman.

—Concord Tribune: Mattie Boger, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. Thomas F. Boger, was instantly killed by a stroke of lightning at Kannapolis Sunday afternoon. The child was at the home of a neighbor on Chesnut street, and was standing on the porch when the bolt struck. No one else was injured and no damage done to the house. The child was instantly killed. The remains were interred today.

—Wadesboro has a new skirt factory. The Ansonian says: Captain Hawkins made some pretty skirts last week for some of Wadesboro's best dressed ladies. They feel proud of the fact that right here at home they have a factory where these garments can be made. In such cases the merchant who sells the goods, the girls who do the work for Captain Hawkins and the latter all make a small profit instead of the entire amount going to some foreign concern.

—Asheville, August 3.—A railroad picnic will be held at Democrat, Buncombe county, on the 18th instant and it will be made the occasion for stimulating interest in the Asheville and East Tennessee railroad, which has been built as far as Weaversville from Asheville, a distance of 8 miles. It is the purpose of the promotors to have this road extended to Huntdale and later to connect with the Carolina Clinchfied and Ohio, bringing the coal mines twenty miles nearer to Asheville.

—Durham, Aug. 3.—Van Ray, the negro murderess, who in last October, carved Lena Bumpa to death on Main street in front of the Trust Building, and then skipped out, has been located in Greenville, this State. Sergeant Pendergrast has been sent to Greenville to bring the woman back. It seems that Van Ray has been in hiding in Greenville for some time. She was given away by a negro lover of hers, whom she had angered in some way, and he told the story that caused her arrest. This is the story that comes to this city.

—Salisbury, Aug. 3.—A severe electric storm passed through Rowan and adjacent counties Sunday night accompanied by heavy rains and in some instances strong winds. Ten miles south of Salisbury a horse belonging to Mr. G. A. Trexler a well known farmer, was killed by lightning. Another animal owned by Mr. J. J. Morgan was also killed by the same bolt. The barn which was struck at the same time was not destroyed and the dead animals were found next morning.

—Southern Pines, Aug. 3.—Kimball, the defaulting cashier of the Southern Pines Bank and Trust Company, was arrested this afternoon and released on a three thousand dollar bond. He and his wife have transferred all of their property, worth about five thousand dollars, to the bank to cover the shortage. His downfall began over two years ago, when he allowed friends to kite checks, from which he sustained loss. This he tried to cover by speculation in wheat and corn. He made a full and complete confession, admitting the loss of about sixteen thousand dollars. The bank will probably be reorganized.


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| Lv. Petersburg | 10:25 a.m. | 10:20 p.m. |
| Lv. Durham | 7:00 a.m. | 5:30 p.m. |
| Lv. Lynchburg | 2:30 p.m. | 2:13 a.m. |
| Ar. Cincinnati | 7:30 a.m. | 7:20 p.m. |
| Ar. Columbus | 6:45 a.m. | 7:45 p.m. |
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NORTHBOUND.

| | No. 43. | No. 42. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington | 9:00 am | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Goldsboro | 12:05 pm | 9:55 pm |
| Ar. Wilson | 1:00 pm | 10:52 pm |
| Ar. Rocky Mount | 1:35 pm | 11:30 pm |
| Ar. Weldon | 4:55 pm | 2:47 am |
| Ar. Norfolk | 8:55 pm | |
| Ar Petersburg | 7:05 pm | 4:25 am |
| Ar. Richmond | 8:00 pm | 5:10 am |
| Ar. Washington | 11:50 pm | 8:40 am |
| Ar. Baltimore | 1:15 am | 10:02 am |
| Ar. Philadelphia | 3:45 am | 12:23 pm |
| Ar. New York | 6:30 am | 2:45 pm |

SOUTHBOUND.

| | No. 41. | No. 43. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. New York | 9:25 am | 9:25 pm |
| Ar. Philadelphia | 11:37 am | 11:43 pm |
| Lv. Baltimore | 2:15 pm | 2:46 am |
| Lv. Washington | 3:45 pm | 4:20 am |
| Lv. Norfolk | | 8:35 am |
| Lv. Richmond | 7:10 pm | 2:15 am |
| Ar. Petersburg | 7:47 pm | 9:03 am |
| Ar. Weldon | 9:35 pm | 11:28 am |
| Ar. Rocky Mount | 10:33 pm | 12:55 pm |
| Ar. Wilson | 11:14 am | 1:56 pm |
| Ar. Goldsboro | 6:30 am | 3:00 pm |
| Ar. Wilmington | 9:25 am | 6:00 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

| | Daily. | Daily. | Via Wilson Daily. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wil't'n | 4:55 am | 3:10 pm | 7:00 pm |
| Ar. Flor. | 9:05 am | 7:25 pm | 3:55 am |
| Ar. Col'bia | 12:25 pm | 10:45 pm | |
| Ar. Chars. | 1:10 pm | 11:25 pm | 7:00 am |
| Ar. Savh | 6:30 pm | 2:20 am | 9:20 am |
| Ar. Jk'ville | | 7:15 am | 1:50 pm |
| Ar. Tampa | | 7:00 pm | 10:30 pm |

NORTHBOUND.

| | Daily. | Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Tampa | 9:00 pm | 10:30 am |
| Lv. Jacksonville | 8:50 am | 7:45 pm |
| Ar. Savannah | 12:55 pm | 11:59 pm |
| Lv. Charleston | 5:25 pm | 5:10 am |
| Lv. Columbia | 4:30 pm | 6:00 am |
| Ar. Florence | 7:15 pm | 8:45 am |
| Ar. Wilmington | 12:40 am | 1:35 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

| | Westbound. Daily. | Eastbound Daily. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington | 8:40 am | Ar 3:05 pm |
| Lv. Fayetteville | 12:10 pm | Ar 4:45 pm |
| Ar. Sanford | 1:40 pm | Lv 3:30 pm |

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

| | Northbound. | Southbound. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv. Wilmington | 3:25 pm | 12:50 pm |
| Ar. Newbern | 6:50 pm | Lv 9:30 am |

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TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

| | No. 45. | No. 39. |
|---|---|---|
| Lv Wilm't'n | 3:00 A.M. | 3:20 P.M. |
| Ar Lumb'ton | 5:30 A.M. | 5:37 P.M. |
| Ar. Maxton | 6:12 A.M. | 6:35 P.M. |
| Ar. Hamlet | 7:00 A.M. | 7:30 P.M. |
| Lv. Hamlet | 7:25 A.M. | 8:15 P.M. |
| Ar. Monroe | 9:25 A.M. | 10:20 P.M. |
| Ar. Charlotte | 10:35 A.M. | 11:20 P.M. |

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|---|---|
| 6:30 A. M. | 6:10 A. M. |
| | 7:15 A. M. |
| and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. | and every half hour thereafter until |
| | 11:45 P. M. |
| 12:00 P. M. | |

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SUNDAYS.

| Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound. | Leave The Beach West Bound. |
|---|---|
| 7:00 A. M. | 7:15 A. M. |
| 8:30 A. M. | 7:45 A. M. |
| | 9:25 A. M. |
| and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P M | and every half hour thereafter until |
| | 11:45 P. M. |
| 12:00 P. M. | |

Freight.
Leave 9th and Orange streets at 11:00 A. M.
Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

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# MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

## WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market steady 48 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady, $2.65 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $1.60 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $1.75 per barrel for hard; $3.00 for dip, and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $2.00, $2.70 and $3.75.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spirits Turpentine | 58 |
| Rosin | 146 |
| Tar | 4 |
| Crude Turpentine | 81 |

Receipts, same day last year 65 casks spirits turpentine; 18 barrels rosin; 92 barrels tar; 33 barrels crude turpentine.

## COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales, same daylast year 2 bales.

## PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 31st:)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 19@20 cents.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 10c; green, 8c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand $1.25 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

## THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—There was a further sharp break in the cotton market today under continued bear pressure and general liquidation, and while there was some improvement during the late trading with the closing tone steady, last prices showed a net loss of 12 to 18 points. The market opened steady at an advance of 5 points to a decline of 1 point but while there was some buying on better cables than expected and the weather map showing no improvement in southwestern condition offerings were very heavy and leading local operators renewed their aggressive selling of the previous day. Prices soon eased off in consequence stop loss orders were caught and during the middle of the day selling became general in spite of the detailed weather report from Texas, showing no precipitation of consequence and extremely high temperatures at many stations. This report caused a bulge to a net advance of 8 points during the middle of the morning but stimulated little demand aside from covering by room shorts and the low point of the day was reached during the afternoon when October vontract sold at 11.92 and January 12.01 with the general list showing a net loss of 29 to 37 points and of about 68 to 75 points as compared with the high prices reached after the publication of the government report on Monday. Covering caused a rally of several points later but trading was less active on the rally than it had been on the decline and sentiment was evidently much unsettled, with January closing at 12.18 bid. Crop news shows no improvement except, possibly from some sections of the eastern belt and sellers supposed to be actuated either by local speculative conditions or by expectations that the approaching new crop movement can not be absorbed at present prices. There is talk of cheaper new crop offerings from the south and southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 3-8c net lower.

Receipts today at the ports were 522 bales against 649 last week and 3,896 last year. For the week 18,000 bales against 14,447 last week and 21,983 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 202 bales against 415, last year.

Spot coton closed quiet 25 points lower; middling uplands 12.60; middling gulf 12.85. Sales none.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

| Month. | Open. | Close. |
|---|---|---|
| August | 12.25 | 12.10 |
| September | 12.23 | 12.10 |
| October | 12.30 | 12.13 |
| November | 12.30 | 12.13 |
| December | 12.32 | 12.19 |
| January | 12.31 | 12.18 |
| February | —— | 12.18 |
| March | 12.33 | 12.19 |
| April | —— | 12.19 |
| May | 12.34 | 12.34 |

## PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Quiet, 12 3-8; net receipts 217; stock 11,269.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 1-8; net receipts 202; stock 62,420.

Mobile—Nominal, 12 1-2; net receipts 26; stock 5,571.

Savannah—Quiet, 12 1-2; net receipts 36; stock 16,886.

Charleston—Nominal; stock 183.

Wilmington—Steady, 12 1-2; net receipts 34; stock 5,689.

Norfolk—Nominal, 12 7-8; stock 3,875.

Baltimore—Quiet, 12 7-8.

New York—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts 7; stock 131,655.

Boston—Quiet, 1260.

Philadelphia—Steady, 1285; stock 1,375.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 522; France 862; Continent 2; stock 241,370.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 5,951; Great Britain 1,697; France 10,321; Continent 4,153; Japan 400.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 9,895,770; Great Britain 3,466,883; France 1,038,394; Continent 348,505; Japan 100,539; Mexico 30,746.

## INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Quiet, 12; net receipts 165; stock 12,673.

Augusta—Steady, 12 3-4; net receipts 262; stock 7,386.

Memphis—Quiet, 12, net receipts 27; stock 13,549.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12 1-2; net receipts 16,126.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 290; stock 13,707.

Louisville—Firm, 12 1-4.

Little Rock—Quiet, 11 1-2; net receipts 5; stock 4,624.

Total today—Net receipts 807; gross receipts 829; shipments 1,249; sales 713; stock 68,165.

## THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Aug. 4.—Spot cotton dull, prices 12 points lower. American middling fair 7.22; good middling 6.86; middling 6.68; low middling 6.50; good ordinary 6.24; ordinary 5.89. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 200 were for speculation and export, and included 5,400 American. Receipts 5,000 bales, all American.

Futures opened easier and closed steady. August 6.55; August and September 6.48; September and October 6.48; October and November 6.48 1-2; November and December 6.48; December and January 6.48; January and February 6.49; February and March 6.49 1-2; March and April 6.49 1-2; April and May 6.49 1-2; May and June 6.49 1-2; June and July 6.49 1-2; July and August 6.48.

## THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—The dry goods markets are quiet and firm in the primary division. The jobbers are doing a steadily expanding trade. Agents handling foreign hosiery have advanced their lines ten per cent. to meet the advances made in tariff rates and there has been an advance of 50 cents per dozen in some lines of cotton fabric gloves. There is a better demand for black taffetas from cutters and other silk piece goods show some improvement in demand. Cotton yarns and cloths are held at high figures for late delivery and trading is limited.

## MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—The stock market has to contend with the growing conservation of stock commission houses which is voiced in the warnings contained in advices to customers of the high level of the market and the danger of reaction. Each day during which the advancing tendency endures adds to this spirit amongst the professional element and habitual followers of the market. The number of successive days of advancing prices was cited today with increasing frequency as an evidence that reaction was imminent. The professional element acted on this prospect by putting out short sales and attempting to force the reaction. The success of this effort was moderate and was mixed with the rise at various new points.

The publications of the net earnings for June and of the fiscal year of the Harriman lines was signalized by an advance in the price of Union Pacific to a new record price.

The industrial specialties were the favorites in today's show of strength. Reports of increasing purchases of equipment by the railroads imply increased value for stocks in that group.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value were $6,022,000. United States 4s registered declined 3-4 per cent. on call. Total sales of stocks today were 825,700 shares.

## FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—Money on call easy 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 7-8, closing bid 1 3-4, ocered at 1 3-4. Time loans strong, sixty days 2 1-2 per cent., and ninety days 3 per cent., six months 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 3-4 to 4 per cent. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8510 to 4.8520 for sixty day bills and at 4.8670 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-4 to 4.84 3-4. Bar silver 50 7-8. Mexican dollars 44.

## NEW YORK BONDS.

| | |
|---|---|
| U. S. refunding 2s reg | 100 3-4 |
| U. S. refunding 2s cou | 100 3-4 |
| U. S. 3s reg | 101 |
| U. S. 3s cou | 101 |
| U. S. 4s reg | 116 |
| U. S. 4s cou | 119 1-2 |
| American Tobacco Co. 6s | 111 3-4 |
| Atlantic Coast Line 4s | 96 |
| Baltimore & Ohio 4s | 100 3-4 |
| L. & N. Unified 4s | 100 1-2 |
| Seaboard Air Line 4s | 89 1-8 |
| Southern Railway 5s | 112 1-2 |
| U. S. Steel 2nd 5s | 106 1-2 |

Closing Stock Lists.

| | |
|---|---|
| Amalgamated Copper | 85 |
| Amr. Car & Foundry | 69 3-4 |
| Amr. Cotton Oil | 75 1-2 |
| Amr. Locomotive | 68 7-8 |
| Amr. Smelting & Ref. | 99 1-8 |
| Amr. Sugar Refining | 130 1-2 |
| Atchison | 118 5-8 |
| Atchison pfd | 105 |
| Atlantic Coast Line | 133 1-2 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 119 1-2 |
| Baltimore & Ohio pfd | 93 |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 78 1-2 |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 159 |
| Colorado & Southern | 55 |
| Erie | 38 |
| Erie 1st pfd | 55 7-8 |
| Erie 2nd pfd | 45 1-4 |
| Great Northern pfd | 153 7-8 |
| Kansas City Southern | 48 |
| Kansas City Southern pfd | 72 5-8 |
| L. & N. | 146 |
| Northern Pacific | 155 1-8 |
| Pennsylvania | 141 1-2 |
| People's Gas | 116 1-4 |
| Reading | 162 |
| Republic Steel pfd | 106 3-4 |
| Rock Island Co. | 38 1-8 |
| Rock Island Co. pfd | 76 |
| Southern Pacific | 155 1-8 |
| Southern Pacific pfd | —— |
| Southern Railway | 32 3-8 |
| Southern Railway pfd | 72 3-4 |
| Standard Oil Co. | 700 |
| Union Pacific | 202 1-8 |
| Union Pacific pfd | 103 1-2 |
| U. S. Steel | 74 7-8 |
| U. S. Steel pfd | 128 7-8 |
| Va.-Car. Chemical | 53 1-2 |
| Western Union | 75 |
| Westinghouse Electric Co. | 85 1-2 |

## NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Aug. 4.—Flour dull and weak.

Rye Flour and Corn Meal—Barely steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red new 1.14 1-2 elevator; No. 2 red old 1.14 7-8 f.o.b. afloat. Options 1-8 to 5-8c net loss. Sept. 1.10 3-8; Dec. 1.08 1-8; May 1.10.

Corn—Easy; No 2 old 80 nominal in elevator; No. 2 new 60 1-8. Options 7-8 to 1c net lower. Sept. 61 3-4; Dec. 64 1-8.

Oats—Spot easy; mixed 52 1-2 nominal.

Lard—Firm.

Pork—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rice and Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.55. Refined—Steady.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 3-8 to 7 1-2; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 9 1-4 to 12 1-2. Futures dull, net unchanged to 5 points lower.

Butter—Unsettled; process first to special 21 to 24 1-2.

Cheese—Steady; State, full cream, special 14 1-4 to 15 1-2; do common to good 11 to 13 1-2.

Eggs—Firm; State, Pennsylvania and nearby selected white hennery, fancy 31 to 33; do gathered whites 25 to 30; do brown, fancy, hennery 29; do brown and mixed 24 to 26.

Cotton Seed Oil—had all the symptoms of professional support today. Near positions sold up to 24 to 30 points and late positions generally 14 to 22 points. Shorts were active buyers. Buying of September suggested the making of a level to sell for distant option. Sales aggregated 6,900 barrels, mostly September. August 5.50 to 5.75; September 5.62 to 5.64; October 5.64 to 5.70; December 5.60 to 5.64; prime summer yellow 5.50 to 5.75; prime white 5.60 to 5.90; prime winter yellow 5.60 to 5.90.

Peanuts and Freights—Quiet, unchanged.

Potatoes—Firm; Southern sweets per barrel 2.25 to 3.25.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

## CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Wheat sold below the dollar mark on the board of trade today for the first time in several months when December, which was liquidated on the prospects of a big crop in the Northwest, dropped to 99 1-8. At the close the various options showed a net decline of from 1-4 to 1-2c. Corn declined 7-8 to 1 1-8c and oats finished weak. Provisions were steady.

Leading futures were as follows:

| | Open | High | Close |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat. | | | |
| Sept | 1 02 | 1 02 3-8 | 1 01 7-8 |
| Dec. | 1 00 3-8 | 1 00 1-2 | 1 00 1-4 |
| May | 1 03 5-8 | 1 03 7-8 | 1 03 5-8 |
| Corn. | | | |
| Sept | 64 3-8 | 64 1-2 | 63 1-2 |
| Dec. | 53 | 53 3-8 | 52 1-4 |
| May | 53 3-4 | 54 | 53 |
| Oats. | | | |
| Sept | 36 3-4 | 36 7-8 | 36 1-2 |
| Dec. | 37 1-8 | 37 3-8 | 37 |
| Sept | 20 35 | 20 40 | 20 37 1-2 |
| Oct. | 16 45 | 16 45 | 16 27 1-2 |
| May | 39 1-8 | 39 3-8 | 39 |
| Mess Pork, per bbl. | | | |
| Lard, per 100 lbs. | | | |
| Sept | 11 20 | 11 25 | 11 25 |
| Oct. | 11 17 1-2 | 11 22 1-2 | 11 22 1-2 |
| Nov. | 10 85 | 10 95 | 10 90 |
| Short Ribs, per 100 lbs. | | | |
| Sept | 10 90 | 10 95 | 10 95 |
| Oct. | 10 62 1-2 | 10 62 1-2 | 10 62 1-2 |

## NAVAL STORES.

New York, Aug. 4.—Turpentine firm at 53. Rosin quiet.

Charleston, Aug. 4.—Turpentine and rosin unchanged.

Savannah, Aug. 4.—Turpentine firm 49 1-4 to 49 3-4; sales 794; receipts 1,008; shipments 216. Rosin firm; sales 2,085; receipts 2,209; shipments 280; stock 141,438. Quote: B, 3.10 to 3.20; D, 3.25; E, 3.75; G, 3.80; H, 4.15; I, 4.30; K, 5.10; M, 5.20; N, 5.25; WG, 5.60; WW, 6.00.

# MARINE

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Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., Bennett, New York, C. D. Maffitt.

## EXPORTS—FOREIGN.

Port-au-Prince—Schr. Madeleine, 399,362 feet of lumber, valued at $7,747.43; cargo from S. & W. H. Northrop Lumber Company; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

## EXPORTS—COASTWISE.

New York—Schr. Edward R. Baird, Jr., 270,000 feet of lumber, cargo by Hammer Lumber Co.; vessel by C. D. Maffitt.

## BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 4, 1909.

W. & W. Railroad—6 casks spirits turpentine; 12 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—5 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 26 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—10 casks spirits turpentine; 99 barrels rosin; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine; 21 barrels rosin; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. City of Fayetteville—35 casks spirits turpentine; 22 barrels rosin; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—58 casks spirits turpentine; 146 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 81 barrels crude turpentine.

## MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Gladestry, 1,521 tons, Jackson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

White Wings, 654 tons, Combes, C. D. Maffitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Loveland, C. D. Maffitt.

Herbert D. Maxwell, 640 tons, Quillin, C. D. Maffitt.


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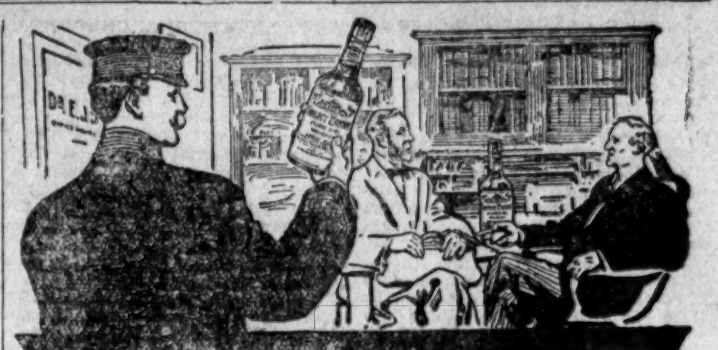

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| Maryland Casualty Company | $86,050.85 |
| Fidelity & Casualty Company | 44,005.99 |
| Travelers' Insurance Company | 49,226.18 |
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## BITTER CAMPAIGN CLOSES.

**Virginia Primary Election Today—Mann and Tucker Leaders.**

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., Aug. 4.—With an address in his home city of Lexington by Harry St. George Tucker, and with Judge William Hodges Mann speaking to the voters of Hampton, the campaign for the Democratic nomination for Governor of Virginia, was brought to a close tonight. The eve of the primary finds both Mann and Tucker leaders making confident claims, each professing to have the State won by from 14,000 to 15,000, but there is a strong undercurrent of doubt and uncertainty as to what the result of tomorrow's voting will be. Until within the past few weeks the campaign was apathetic and an extremely light vote was promised. Following bitter charges by each candidate, interest has finally been brought to a high pitch and tonight the State is in more or less of a political turmoil. Even now indications are that the total vote will be 20 per cent. less than that of four years ago when Governor Swanson won the nomination. Candidates for Commissioner of Agriculture, Lieutenant Governor and Attorney General are to be nominated tomorrow, but these minor contests are over-shadowed by the fight for the governorship which has developed into one of the bitterest in the history of the State.

## KIDNAPING VOTERS.

**Once a Regular Feature of Political Warfare In England.**

In England a generation or two ago kidnaping was a regularly recognized feature of political warfare. On the eve of an election especially men of influence on either side would mysteriously vanish to reappear later with strange tales of forcible seizures, mad races across country in post chaises driven by yelling postilions, followed by longer or shorter terms of gilded imprisonment in great mansions, where they were wined and dined in sumptuous style and treated right royally in every way, only their liberty being denied them.

Quite humble voters, too, were forcibly abducted, but these did not always fare quite so well. Thus one victim made complaint before a magistrate that he had been decoyed from his house by a ruse and kept shut up in a coal hole for three days.

Wholesale kidnaping of voters in batches, too, was not unknown, the process being rendered easier by the custom of candidates paying the traveling expenses of their electors to and from the polling places.

For instance, at a certain Newcastle election a whole shipload of freemen of the borough, dispatched from London by sea, were taken by the captain—who had been heavily bribed—to Ostend and there left stranded.

During the same contest, too, and under similar circumstances a number of Berwick electors who happened to reside in London were dumped down in Norway, and a group of thirty Ipswich voters found themselves on the day of the poll cooling their heels upon the quay at Rotterdam.—Pearson's Weekly.

**Pioneer Days In Missouri.**

In 1851 there was in Huntsville a man who pulled teeth for 25 cents and a photographer who made daguerrotypes at $1.50 each. The first was called "doctor" and the second "professor." They moved in the highest circles, as being the representatives of the sciences and arts. With deer, birds and all manner of game in the woods and fine fish in the streams so cheap that the poorest larders were stocked with it, the grocers did a big business in mackerel, herring and sardines. The latter were real dainties, because the better food was so plentiful the pioneers got tired of it.—Macon Republican.

**Money a Fleeting Joy.**

Elinor was very anxious to bring home an Angora cat from Maine last summer. Her mother objected, thinking that the care of a cat from Maine to Connecticut was entirely too arduous a task, so she tried to "buy off" Elinor. "If you will say no more about the cat," she said, "I will give you a dollar to spend in Boston." Elinor looked quite thoughtful for a moment, then said, "But, mother, how much longer a cat would last than a dollar."—Delineator.

**Getting Ready to Propose.**

A train stopped abruptly a few miles outside the little station of Hergatz, in Bohemia, and the passengers alighted to ascertain what had happened. They found the guard engaged in shaving the engine driver, who apologized for the delay and explained that he was about to propose to the young woman in the refreshment room at the next station, and he had no time to complete his toilet before starting.—London Standard.

**Seeing Is Believing.**

Mrs. Brown (to the new maid)—Well, Nora, I hope we shall get along very nicely. I'm not at all difficult to please. Nora—No, mum. That's just what I thought the very minute I set eyes on the master.—London Sketch.


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Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, swollen, tired, aching feet. Try it *to-day*. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. By mail for 25c. in stamps. *Don't accept any substitute.* Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.


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yourself and family, take a trip to the pier. Boat leaves 5:15 P. M., 15 cents round trip. jul 1 tf

You can save money by buying your children's suits at reduced prices. J. M. Solky & Co. **

## NEW MEMORIAL CHURCH

**Will Lay Corner Stone of Bishop Atkinson Memorial Friday.**

The Episcopalians of this city are manifesting much interest in the laying of the corner stone of the Bishop Atkinson Memorial Church in Charlotte tomorrow, which will mark an important event in its erection, and will perpetuate the memory of the well known prelate, who formerly lived here and was so highly esteemed by the Wilmington people. The new edifice was secured through the efforts of Rev. Francis M. Osborne, of Charlotte, who was a great admirer of the distinguished bishop, and who has several times filled the pulpit at St. James' church here.

The exercises begin this morning with a banquet, given by the men of the Holy Comforter complimentary to the Bishop of North Carolina, the Bishop of Eastern North Carolina and visitors, at which time there will be addresses and impromptu toasts. The corner stone will be laid tomorrow, which is the Feast of the Transfiguration, and in the morning at 10:30 o'clock a historical address will be made by the Rt. Rev. Robert Strange, Bishop of East Carolina. An address will be made by the Rt. Rev. Joseph B. Cheshire, on "Bishop Atkinson and the Church in the Confederacy.

**Mrs. Wheeler's Death.**

The friends here of Mr. W. B. Bevell will regret to learn of the death of his sister, Mrs. J. B. Wheeler, who passed away at her home in Savannah, Ga., Monday morning. Mrs. Wheeler had been critically ill for some time. Besides her mother in this city, she leaves a husband, sister and three brothers, all of whom live in Georgia.

## A LARGE CONTRACT.

When J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co, enterprising druggists, first offered a 50 cent package of Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price, and guaranteed to return the money if it did not cure, they thought it probable from their experience with other medicines for these diseases, that they would have a good many packages returned. But although they have sold hundreds of bottles, not one has been brought back.

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WANTED—Young man to assist bookkeeper and make himself generally useful. Address "A," P. O. Box 113, City. aug 5 2t*

PHOTOGRAPHS artistically finished, life-like enlargements. Bridal parties, copying and framing. Guaranteed permanent. The U. C. Ellis Studio. au 5-tf.

I WANT a man of ability, honesty and ambition, as district manager for Leer's credit systems, to manage salesmen and sell credit registers. This is a first-class position for a hustler who wants to make money. Call after 9 A. M. Hotel Orton, Young Jones, manager of sales agencies. au 5-2t*

I AM AUTHORIZED by the Loan department of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia, to offer loans of not less than $3,000 on good business property, for from three to five years at 6 per cent. interest. K. C. Sidbury, Room 20, Garrell Building. au 5-6t

WANTED—At once a young man who has had some experience in feeding job presses and using cutting machine. Apply at Star office. ju 27 3t

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## STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

AGAIN WE CALL your attention to the new series of stock which will be issued by The People's Building & Loan Association on next Saturday, August 7th. Already a large number of shares have been pledged. Building & Loan Associations are endorsed by all classes, especially by those who have owned stock in them. There is no better association than The People's. Don't neglect to subscribe for stock before Saturday. Shares cost 25 cents and are payable weekly or monthly. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer, office 206 Princess street. 'phone 1220. au 1-tf.

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SPENDING THE SUMMER on the Beach. There is no better time than now to have your residence wired for electric lights, cheaper than oil or gas. The conveniences of electricity will pay for wiring a residence in one month's time. I have a large stock of electric fans, electric irons, water heaters, bread toasters, coffee percolators and electric curling irons, that must be sold regardless of price. Have a large force of electricians and can do your house wiring promptly at a small cost. New and complete line of chandeliers, glassware, etc., to select from. Full line of supplies for automobiles and gas launches. J. O. Brock, 123 Market street, 'phone 573. au 1-6t.

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